THE WEATHER.

Fair Wednesday; Thursday local showers and cooler in west; fair in east portions; light to moderate variable winds.

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If you have confidence in what you have to sell—what you have to offer the public—let them know it! : : : :

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BEULAH BINFORD DESERTS BEATTIE

No Longer His Friend Even if Acquitted of Murder Charge.

WOULD LIKE TO SEE JUSTICE

Frankest Interview She Has Granted Since Her Arrest—Hopes Henry Beattie is Innocent—Resume Trial Today.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 22.—If Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., is acquitted of the charge of wife murder, preferred against him by the commonwealth, there will be no further friendship between him and Beulah Binford, the girl for whose love the prosecution charges that the crime was committed. Sitting in her cell this afternoon, on the eve of the resumption of the case at Chesterfield Court House tomorrow, she not only expressed the hope that "whoever is guilty will be convicted," but added that she was afraid of Beattie, and could never be his friend again. It was the frankest interview she has granted since her arrest as a material witness more than a month ago.

"I hope that Henry is innocent," said the girl.

"Once I would have gone through fire at his word, but now I would be afraid to go on the street with him after dark. If he comes clear of the murder charge I hope never to see him again. Most of all, I want to get away from Richmond where I know people will follow me on the streets. I know absolutely nothing about the murder; I do not even recall that Henry ever mentioned his wife's name to me."

Beattie spent a quiet day in jail, refusing to see any one except his young sister, Hazel, and an aunt. He will be taken to Chesterfield tomorrow where the task of completing the jury will be taken up again at noon today.

Paul Beattie, his cousin, who has sworn that he purchased the gun with which Mrs. Beattie was shot, lounged in the jail corridor, refusing to discuss the case.

Always pictured heretofore as expressing absolute confidence of Beattie's acquittal, the statements made by the Binford girl this afternoon, indicated for the first time that she has deserted him. She keeps pictures and cuts of him in a scrap book in her cell, but she repeated time and again as she talked that she considered herself a mere on-looker in the case, and was keeping a record of events and a diary as souvenirs.

Sheriff Gill has summoned a venue of 30 men and the prediction is that the jury to try Beattie for his life will be complete before adjournment tomorrow.

The commonwealth has completed its list of witnesses, which now totals more than 75.

Summon Additional Venire.

Chesterfield Court House, Va., Aug. 22.—Sheriff Gill today summoned an additional venire of 30 residents of the county for possible jury duty in the Beattie case. There was no session of the court today and Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., remained in the Henrico county jail at Richmond. When court adjourned last night until Wednesday at noon the jury box was filled, but four of the 12 jurymen were subject to peremptory challenge by the defense and it was said that all of these challenges would be exercised. This will require the selection of four trial jurors from the panel of three, they to report tomorrow.

For the first time since his arrest more than a month ago on a charge of wife murder, there was made public today the list of witnesses who will be called in the defense of Beattie, who pleaded not guilty when arraigned yesterday. It had long been known that the prosecution had summoned more than 60 witnesses, but not until today was there given any inkling of the plans of the defense.

The list, as now made public, shows that Beattie's lawyers have summoned 29 witnesses, five of them women. A majority of those summoned are former associates or former fellow employes of Paul Beattie, held as a material witness in the case, and through them the defense will try to break down Paul's story of having purchased the single barrel shotgun for Henry, three days before the murder. Several citizens who live near the scene of the crime will be called to testify of hearing calls for help and the sounding on a motor horn. The story of the prisoner is that his wife was shot by his side by a mysterious bearded man in the road and that he (Henry) called for aid.

Others to be called in the defendant's behalf are young women who lived near Beattie and his wife during their short married life. They will be asked to support Henry's statements that their home life was all that it should be and that quarrels between them were unknown.

Beattie slept well last night and began the day in the Richmond jail by reading the newspapers.

The entire session tomorrow will be given over to jury selections and witnesses have been excused until Thursday. The 12 jurors chosen yesterday were placed in the custody of the sheriff.

ATWOOD'S FLIGHT WILL BEAT RECORD

Daring Aerial Traveler May Reach New York Today.

HAS COVERED 1,065 MILES

Aviator Believes He Will Break the World's Long Distance Flight With Aeroplane—Made Tremendous Speed.

Fort Plain, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Another remarkable spin through the air on his aeroplane flight from St. Louis to New York brought Harry N. Atwood, from Belle Isle, five miles west of Syracuse, to Fort Plain, late this afternoon and landed him 95 miles nearer his destination.

He is now 1,065 miles from his starting place and exactly 200 miles from his proposed alighting point in New York.

From Belle Isle, where he ascended at 4:55 P. M., Atwood sailed around Syracuse 12 minutes later, turned the nose of his biplane eastward and in the twilight descended into the Mohawk valley, alighting in a field here at 7:50 P. M. His actual flying time today was two hours and ten minutes and was made without stop.

Atwood believes he possibly may make New York tomorrow, but more probably on Thursday because on account of the rough and wooded country from Albany down the Hudson river he may be compelled to descend in difficult places or effect landing on the water.

Atwood, who in nine days has set a new pace for aerial navigation in America, is confident that he soon will have a new world's record for distance. He lacks just 99 miles of beating the international record now held in Europe. Running over the last lap of his flight down the Hudson, after he has turned the corner at Albany he will surpass the present record at Rhine Cliffe. From here Atwood has 58 miles to go to Albany, which he is capable of making in one flight without a stop. The 142 miles from Albany to New York will require at least one stop for gasoline.

On the ninth day of his flight Atwood proceeded without a mishap, although he flew part of the way in the twilight and all of it in a dense haze. He flew equal to a fast mail train.

Today's was the latest start he has attempted. Delayed all day by a high wind, he had almost given up starting when at 4:55 P. M., the wind calmed and he took advantage of it. He followed the tracks of the New York Central Railroad, making Oneida at a speed of 31 miles in 38 minutes. He went over Rome, 44 miles from the start, at 5:48 P. M.

Utica, which he reached in one hour and 30 minutes, had a demonstration prepared in a hurry. For 20 minutes the din of bells and whistles continued. It was almost dark when Atwood neared Fort Plain. He hovered a while over the town and then selecting a clear spot on the opposite bank of the Mohawk river, alighted to the astonishment of a farmer, a half dozen angry dogs and a barefooted boy with a wheelbarrow.

WEATHER IN COTTON BELT.

Frequent Showers in Central Portion. Weekly Report.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The continuation of frequent showers in the central portion of the cotton belt, with much cloudy weather, was generally unfavorable, but in the eastern portions local showers and sunshine prevailed and conditions were, as a rule, favorable although more rain is needed in portions of Georgia and the Carolinas, says the National Weekly Weather Bulletin issued today for the week ending yesterday.

West of the Mississippi the week continued unusually warm. Heavy rains occurred in portions of Arkansas, and there were some local showers in northern and eastern Texas, but over the greater part of that State as well as the whole of Oklahoma there was practically no rain as during the preceding week, and the ground is again becoming dry. Conditions by States follow:

Virginia—Sunny, high day temperatures; well distributed showers occurred early in week.

North Carolina—Rainfall irregularly distributed, heavy in central and southeastern portions, light elsewhere. Rain much needed in west. Temperature and sunshine above normal.

South Carolina—Temperature and sunshine above normal, precipitation considerably below normal.

CONDEMNS THE SINKERS.

President of National Association of Bakers Addresses the Body.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 22.—That the modern housewife who attempts to bake her own bread produces a soggy article and is committing murder by allowing it to be eaten, was the statement made by Paul Schulz, of Chicago, president of the National Association of Master Bakers, at the second day's session of the annual convention of that body, here, today.

"This country is full of housewives who are proud of their cooking, and who think they are doing their duty by baking at home," Mr. Schulz said. "The long suffering stomachs of their families continue to pay the penalty of this mistaken sense of duty."

PARIS IS STIRRED OVER ART THEFT

Mysterious Disappearance of DaVinci's Great Masterpiece.

VALUED AT OVER $5,000,000

Government of France Owned Famous Painting and Has Set Detectives to Work—Other Notable Art Thefts Recalled.

Paris, Aug. 22.—The art world was thrown into consternation today by the announcement that Leonardo DaVinci's masterpiece "Monalisa", or as it is popularly known "LaJoconde," had mysteriously disappeared from the Louvre.

The famous painting hung in the place of honor in the Salon Carre, and not a vestige of a clue was left of the person or persons who took it, to aid the detectives and police in trying to trace it. A search of every nook and cranny in the Louvre from roof to cellar, only brought to light the valuable frame in which the picture hung and the glass that covered it. These were intact on a back staircase.

Some persons believe that a practical joke has been played, but nevertheless, the government has set at work its entire force of detectives in an effort to recover the painting.

Monalisa is one of France's great art treasures, ranking with the sculptures Venus DeMilo and the Victory of Samothrace and Murillo's painting, "The Immaculate Conception."

The only parallel with this in the history of art theft is the case of Gainsborough's famous "Duchess of Devonshire," which was taken from its frame in the showroom of an art firm in London some years ago, but later returned by the late Pat Sheedy, a well known American gambler who acted as intermediary between the thief and the art dealers. Later this picture was purchased by J. Pierpont Morgan.

The painting was not missed until noon today, when visitors to the museum, among whom were hundreds of Americans, were quietly informed that the gallery was about to be closed for the day and requested to leave. After that time no one was admitted.

M. Cailiaux, minister of justice, was immediately apprised of the disappearance of "Monalist" and after a hurried conference with M. Lepine the prefect of Paris, M. Lepine set off for the Louvre accompanied by M. Hamard, chief of detectives. Reinforced by the entire staff of detectives they remained until night industriously searching the Louvre for the missing masterpiece.

The most remarkable feature of the case is that the picture appears to have been taken early yesterday without its absence being remarked until noon today.

Georges Benedite, acting curator of the Louvre, is inclined to believe the removal of the painting the work of a practical joker, pointing out that such a world famous art treasure would be a white elephant in the hands of a thief, as it would be utterly impossible to dispose of it. At the same time, however, M. Benedite does not altogether abandon the hypothesis of theft.

The first searches for the painting having proved fruitless, the under secretary of State for fine arts has lodged a charge of theft against a person or persons unknown with the minister of justice, who has appointed a magistrate to immediately open an investigation.

"Monalisa" is one of the world's famous paintings and is held priceless. At one time, it had been stated, the British offered $5,000,000 for the work which was refused. It is the most celebrated portrait of a female in the world. Its most striking characteristic is the smile. DaVinci's model was the wife of Francesco Del Giocondo, a Florentine of the 15th-16th centuries. When DaVinci painted her she was about 30 years old. The subject is shown seated in a low chair on the left arm of which she is leaning. The gown is simple. Dark hair, hanging loosely, drapes an oval face with expressive eyes and aquiline nose. About the mouth is seen the sweet smile which has been the chief characteristic in making the painting famous. It is said that DaVinci in order to obtain this effect, had musicians, singers and jesters near his subject to amuse her as he painted.

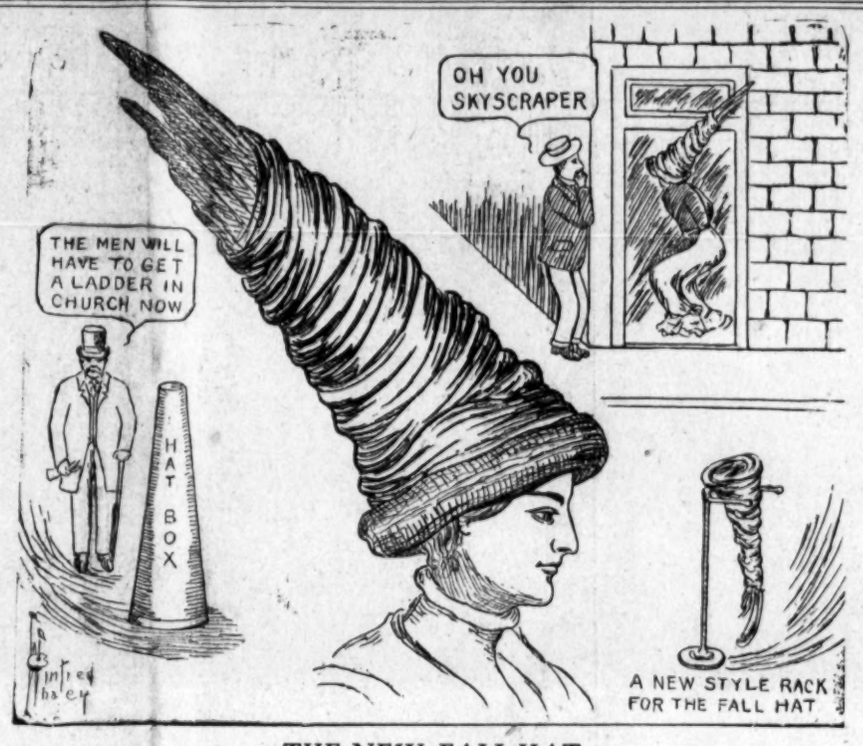
CATHOLIC SOCIETIES

American Federation Refuses to Condemn Educational Association

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 22.—Contrary to its action a year ago, and in one of the most animated sessions in its history, the American Federation of Catholic Societies today rejected resolutions to condemn the National Educational Association as "an organization "to set up in this county an educational trust as a menace to individual liberty and to the primary rights which every American citizens enjoys of choosing the kind of education which he may wish to give his child."

The resolution on condemnation is the result of efforts of the National Educational Asociation to establish government non-sectarian school at Washington, D. C.

After considerable discussion the resolutions were sent back to the committee with instructions to eliminate reference to the National Educational Association.



THE NEW FALL HAT.

DEMOCRATS MADE BIG RECORD

Speaker Champ Clark Sums Up Work of Extra Session—The Final Adjournment of Congress Yesterday Afternoon.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The extraordinary session of the 62nd Congress marked by the passage of the Canadian reciprocity bill, vetoed tariff revision legislation, the Statehood and other important measure, adjourned sine die at 3:02 o'clock this afternoon. President Taft who had just vetoed the cotton bill, the last of three revision bills adversely acted on, was present with members of his cabinet. Presiding officers of both houses delivered short speeches felicitating the members, regardless of party, upon the good will shown during the session and expressing best wishes for them during the recess of Congress. The regular session of Congress will begin on December 4th.

Clark Sums Up Work

Champ Clark, Speaker of the House of Representatives, in a review of the first session of the 62nd Congress, declared that the Democratic party set a good example for Democrats everywhere and that the party had redeemed every promise it made in the campaign of 1910 when the Democrats wrested control of the House from the Republicans.

"At this sesion the Democrats have made a record which has surprised our friends and dumbfounded our enemies," said Speaker Clark. "It has put heart and hope into Democrats everywhere. The extra session was extraordinary not only in the sense of being a special session called by the President but also in the amount and quality of the work done in the House by the combined Democrats and insurgents and the combined Democrats and Republican insurgents in the Senate, and especially by the unanimity of action developed by the House Democrats.

"It was predicted freely, vociferously, enthusiastically and confidently by the stand-pat press and orators that we would go to pieces. On that account and by reason of that hope they rejoiced that the extra session of Congress was called so that we might go to pieces at the earliest possible date. But we have sorely disappointed all their expectations. They even set the date when we would go to pieces,

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OUTLINES.

The extra session of Congress adjourned yesterday, the closing scene witnessing President's Taft's veto of the revisal of the cotton schedule of the tariff act; the Democrats boast that the session of 121 days cost only $30,052——President Taft left Washington last night; will speak to the G. A. R. reunion at Rochester today and will soon cross the continent on a speaking tour——At Coatesville, Pa., yesterday during the investigation of the recent burning of a negro, the judge held that a sympathetic onlooker is guilty of murder——Marry Atwood has covered 1,064 miles o. his flight from St. Louis to New York and expects to end his remarkable flight today——A masterpiece of DaVinci, the great painter, has been stolen in Paris and a sensation has been created since it is valued at more than five million——The driver and owner of Hendersonville, N. C., was killed and three others, two of them ladies, were perhaps fatally injured in an automobile wreck near Greer's S. C., yesterday.

New York markets: Money on call steady 1 3-4 to 2 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 2 1-4, closing bid none, offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points higher, middling uplands 12.60, middling gulf 12.85; flour was steady and unchanged; wheat spot irregular, No. 2, 94 3-4 elevator and 95 3-4 fob afloat; corn spot easy, No. 2, 72 1-2 elevator, domestic to arrive, and 71 for export No. 2 fob afloat; oats spot firm, No. 2 standard white 45; rosin steady, turpentine easy.

ONE KILLED, THREE INJURED

Hendersonville Man Loses His Life in Automobile Drive With Party to Spartanburg, S. C.—All Are Prominent People

(Special Star Telegram.)

Hendersonville, N. C., Aug. 22.—Death and disaster perched on the seats with a Hendersonville automobile joy-riding party which left here this morning at 4 o'clock for Spartanburg and which ended with the instant death of the driver of the machine and the possible fatal injury of two passengers.

S. A. Pruett, of Hendersonville, driving his public service car was instantly killed this morning at 8 o'clock between here and Spartanburg. Two of his passengers were probably fatally injured. In the car with Pruett were Mrs. Rogers, of Macon, Ga., a wealthy and handsome widow; Mrs. Keanly, of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Hagaman, of Black Mountain, N. C., and C. P. Barnette, of Jacksonville, Fla. Which two of the ladies were injured is not known here. They were all registered at the Lakeview Hotel here with the exception of Mr. Barnette. They left Monday night in a machine for Asheville in company with a prominent Asheville man, who remained there. They returned to Hendersonville about 3 o'clock Tuesday morning. The driver of the public service machine they had been using declined to carry them to Spartanburg. They then summoned Pruett's machine and at 4 o'clock this morning left for Spartanburg. The dead driver was 40 years old, leaves a wife and two children and was counted a very careful and competent man.

He lost control of his car in trying to swerve it from a ditch on the cut-off between the National highway route and Greer's, S. C. The machine turned completely over, crushing Pruett to death and breaking the back of one of the women passengers, breaking the leg of another and inflicting serious bruises and possible internal injuries upon all The injured are being cared for at a nearby farm house. The remains of Pruett were brought here tonight. The funeral will be tomorrow.

Another Account

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 22.—S. A. Pruett, of Hendersonville, N. C., is dead and three women and a man who refused to give their names to the coroner or sheriff are more or less injured as a result of an automobile wreck while en route from Asheville, N. C., to Spartanburg, S. C., early today

The party left Asheville Monday and spent a portion of the night at Hendersonville. Continuing their journey this morning, the driver, Pruett, ran the machine into a ditch. Two of the women are confined to their room in a farm honuse near the scene of the accident. The other woman and a man departed hastily.

It is understood two of the women are married. Nothing could be learned of the man. One of the women was forced by the coroner to make an affidavit, in which she gave her name as Mrs. M. A. Harriman, of Georgia, and the names of the others as Mrs. C. Adams, Miss Willie Wing and Mr. C. Burnett, all of Florida. That all these names are fictitious, is the statement made tonight by one of the attending physicians who said that one of the women revealed in confidence, the identity of the party.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 22.—The correct names of the parties in the fatal automobile accident which ended near Greenville, S. C., this morning are S. A. Pruett, Hendersonville, N. C., Mrs. Rogers, Macon, Ga.; Mrs. Hagaman, Black Mountain, N. C.; Mrs. Meanly, Richmond, Va.; and C. P. Barnette, Lake City, Fla. Pruett was the owner and driver of the public service automobile which the party engaged for the trip to Greenville, S. C., after the driver of the public machine they had previously been using declined to make the run to Spartanburg.

It was stated that Mrs. Hagaman and Mrs. Meanly escaped with slight injuries, while Mr. Barnett was not injured at all.

Macon, Ga., Aug. 22.—Relatives here stated tonight that Mrs. Marshall Rodgers, a wealthy widow of leading social prominence is at present Summering in North Carolina near Hendersonville. Mrs. Rodgers' daughter, Minnie, 18 years of age, is with her. One son, Marshall, 21 years of age, is here and has received word that his mother is injured. He will go to Hendersonville at once.

WILL SWING AROUND CIRCLE

President Taft Left Washington Last Night—Will Soon Cross Continent on Speaking Tour. Addresses Veterans.

Washington, Aug. 22.—President Taft left Washington tonight for Rochester, N. Y., where tomorrow he will address the National encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and then will proceed to his Summer home in Beverly, Mass. He was accompanied by Major A. W. Butt and Secretary Hilles.

With only three weeks of playtime left before he starts upon one of the hardest trans-continental trips ever undertaken by a Chief Executive, the President left the capitol to be gone until November or even after. It is probable the first two weeks of his stay in Beverly the President will deny himself to all callers and get just as complete a rest as golfing, motoring and generally doing nothing consistently, will give him.

At the end of that period of seclusion the President expects to set to work on some of the speeches he will deliver on his 40 days' trip. The decision in the Wiley case also may be forthcoming from Beverly.

With the departure of the President the bachelor colony at the White House, which has been a feature of the present Summer, was broken up.

PENNSYLVANIA LYNCHING.

Judge Holds That Sympathetic Onlookers Are Guilty.

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 22.—Under a ruling of Judge Butler in West Chester today "that any one who was in the mob and knew for what purpose the mob was gathered is guilty of murder," another arrest was made this afternoon in the case of Zack Walker, the negro, who was lynched here ten days ago. The prisoner, Clyde Woodward, 21 years old, who is charged with murder, was taken to the county jail at West Chester. The ruling created a sensation here. It was made in the case of George Stahl, 16 years old, whose parents sought his release on a writ of habeas corpus. On refusing the application, the judge said:

"One is responsible for his actions if he associates himself with a mob, even if he gives no physical assistance, merely sanctions violence. Then he is just as guilty of murder under the law as though he helped to commit murder. Stahl sympathized with a turbulent mob. He cannot complain now of the justice that he receives."

It is said that a number of persons who are known to have been in the mob but took no actual part in the lynching, will be arrested.

TYPHOID VACCINE

Virus Being Furnished Free to Physicians in South Carolina

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 22.—Some 880 initial "doses" of typhoid vaccine have been distributed to physicians throughout the State by the State health department since the distribution was commenced about two weeks ago. The typhoid vaccine is given free to physicians applying for it and it is expected that the good results of this preventive work will soon be apparent in South Carolina in a lessening of the number of cases of typhoid fever in the State. The distribution of this vaccine is under the supervision of Dr. F. A. Coward, who has also in charge the State laboratories for the Pasteur treatment of hydrophobia.

MR. TAFT VETOES COTTON REVISAL

Extra Session of Congress Came to End Yesterday.

PRESIDENT WAS AT CAPITOL

Men of All Parties Gave Nation's Chief An Ovation—Democrats Laughed at Veto Message and Republicans Applauded

Washington, Aug. 22.—The first session of the 62nd Congress ended today and immediately the exodus of members began. President Taft joined with several hundred tired legislators in the hegira and tonight official Washington comparatively was deserted. Every outgoing train bore Senators and Representatives on their homeward journey after an extraordinary session that stretched over 121 days and set the liviest pace of any legislative session in years.

The adjournment was featureless despite the strenuous activitiy that had gone before. The President vetoed the cotton tariff revision bill, just as he had vetoed its two revision predecessors, the wool and free list bills. The veto went only to the House, in accordance with custom, and there its reception was marked by Democratic laughter and Republican applause.

Democratic Leader Underwood, amid a Democratic demonstration, formerly thanked the few Republican members who voted with the Democrats to pass the tariff revision bills. Democrats ran across the aisles to shake hands with the Republican insurgents. The cheering and pounding of desks on the Democratic side was prolonged. As soon as he could be heard, Mr. Underwood announced that as the Democrats did not have the two-thirds majority necessary to pass the bill over the President's veto, he would merely move the printing of the veto and accompanying papers and their reference to the Ways and Means Committee, of which he was the chairman. The House agreed to this fixed course. With the committee the matter will rest until the whole subject of tariff revision legislation is renewed at the regular session of Congress which will convene at noon on Monday, December 4th.

Everybody was in happy mood in both Houses, but the usual vaudeville proceedings that feature the few minutes following an adjournment of the House for years were missing today. The nearest approach was the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" by a group of younger members, led by Heflin, of Alabama, Kinkead, of New Jersey; Byrnes, of South Carolina, and Garrett, of Tennessee. But their chords did not inspire a common chorus. The galleries in both the House and Senate were crowded.

President Taft spent half hour at the capital, making it a social affair as well as a business one. Occupying the Presidential room, in the rear of the Senate chamber, he was given an enthusiastic ovation by Senators of all shades of political complexion as well as by Representatives who drifted over there from the House to meet him. Vice President Sherman was among them and one of the first to shake hands. Th President later busied himself with the task of signing the 11th hour measures, approving all that were presented.

The Senate spent a restless day. Within thirty-five minutes after it had convened it took a recess until 2 o'clock to wait the action of the House on the belated veto of the cotton bill. Then came an executive session to consider two minor nominations and another recess until 2:45 o'clock. Senators gathered in the aisles of the Senate chamber during this recess and exchanged parting greetings. Progressives and regulars, Republican and Democratic, mixed their hearty good wishes.

In the House there was the same confusion only more pronounced. Mr. Underwood, of Alabama, Democratic leader of the House, hared with Speaker Clark congratulation over the hearty achievement in the firt Democratic Houe in sixteen years. Republican Leader Mann an others beamed with good will.

The last measure introduced in the House was a resolution harking back to King Louis XVI. It provided for the erection of a tablet in the rotunda of the capitol in Washington in commemoration of King Louis' intervention in behalf of this country. The resolution like a host of others went over to the regular session for consideration.

Both Vice President Sherman and Speaker Clark delivered valedictories, expressing appreciation, extending congratulations on the good will shown in a strenuous session and bespeaking health and happiness during the recess. Then officially at 3 o'clock but actually two minutes later in each House, the extra session of Congress was declared adjourned.

The session record of measures introduced is 14,038 bills and 484 resolutions in the House and 3,296 bills and 58 resolutions in the Senate. Only a few of these were passed. The Senate adjourned without filling the office of President pro tem. to take

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 6; Chicago, 5.
At Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 5.
At Boston, 9; Cincinnati, 11.
At Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburg, 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	67	42	.615
Chicago	64	41	.610
Pittsburg	67	44	.604
Philadelphia	61	49	.555
St. Louis	60	50	.545
Cincinnati	49	60	.450
Brooklyn	42	67	.386
Boston	27	84	.243

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Pittsburg shut out here today by 3 to 0. All of the home team's runs were made off Ferry's delivery in the first two innings, Philadelphia bunching three hits with two bases on balls and an error. Wilson, with four singles, starred at the bat. While a wonderfunl one-hand catch and throw by Beck, on which a double play was made, featured the fielding.

Pittsburg .....000 000 000—0 8 2
Philadelphia ....210 000 001—3 4 0

Ferry, Hendrix and Gibson; Alexander and Madden; time 1:50; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

New York, Aug. 22.—By winning from Chicago today in an exciting uphill game New York went into first place in the National League race. With the score 5 to 2 against them in the eighth the Giants rallied and Merkle, Snodgrass' double and a pass to Doyle. Brown walked Myers with a sacrifice and Devore's fifth single advanced him to third. He scored on Doyle's hit to right.

Chicago .....120 020 000—5 8 0
New York .....002 000 031—6 11 1

Brown and Archer; Crandall, Ames and Myers; time 1:50; umpires Klem and Brennan.

Boston, Aug. 22.—Cy Young made his appearance in a National League today after an absence of 11 years in American League parks and was knocked out of the box by Cincinnati. The visitors won 11 to 9, although Boston forced Frank Smith to cover scoring eight runs in the fifht and tieing the score in the eighth inning.

Boston .....000 080 010— 9 13 6
Cincinnati .....413 100 002—11 16 0

Young, McTigue, Griffin and Kling; Smith, Keefe and McLean; time 2:15; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Brooklyn, Aug. 22.—Starke's clean single to left after he had been sent in as a pinch hitter with two out and Davidson on third in the tenth inning, gave Brooklyn a 6 to 5 victory in today's game with St. Louis. The game was dull until the ninth when Daubert's triple and Wheat's sacrifice fly tied the score. Burk was taken out in the sixth inning after his wildness had given St. Louis three runs without a hit or a Brooklyn error.

Brooklyn .. ...100 200 101 1—6 13 2
St Louis .... ..001 003 100 0—5 5 1

Steele, Harmon and Bliss; Burk, Schardt and Erwin. Time 2:35. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Chicago, 3; Washington, 1.
At Detroit, 4; New York, 9.
At Cleveland, 1; Boston, 0.
At St. Louis, 8; Philadelphia, 2.
Second: Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 0.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	74	40	.649
Detroit	70	46	.603
Boston	59	55	.509
New York	59	57	.509
Cleveland	58	57	.504
Chicago	56	58	.491
Washington	49	58	.458
St. Louis	34	80	.298

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—After winning the first game of the double-header from Philadelphia 8 to 2 this afternoon, St. Louis was shut out in the second. The locals fell on Danforth in the second inning of the first game and scored six runs. They gathered another in the fifth on a base on balls, a sacrifice and a single. A double and a double-steal in the eighth netted them another. Laporte and Black featured at the bat.

In the second game Morgan allowed but two hits, while his teammates took advantage of poor fielding and hit the ball often.

St. Louis .....060 010 01x—8 10 4
Philadelphia ....000 001 010—2 8 0

Mitchell and Kritchell; Danforth, Krause, Martin and Thomas; time 1:45; umpires Dineen and Perrine.

Second game:

St. Louis .....000 000 000—0 2 4
Philadelphia ....111 020 300—8 13 1

Pelty, George and Clark and Southwick; Morgan and Thomas; time 1:50.

Detroit, Aug. 22.—Ford outpitched the Detroit trio today and New York won the closing game of the series. In the first inning Ford slipped a third strike over on Cobb. After arguing for nearly five minutes with Umpire Evans, Cobb was ordered off the field. Knight was hit on the head by a pitched ball in the first and left the game after playing the second inning.

New York .....400 130 010—9 10 4
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Ford and Sweeney; Mullin, Willett, Works and Stanage, Casey and Schmidt; time 2:02; umpires Evans and Egan.

Cleveland, Aug. 22.—Cleveland shut out Boston 1 to 0 today, Gregg holding Boston to five scattered hits. Cleveland scored the only run of the game in the first inning on Jackson's single and LaJoie's double. Sharp fielding by Boston prevented additional runs.

Cleveland .....100 000 00x—1 9 0
Boston .....000 000 000—0 5 0

Gregg and Smith; Pape and Carrigan; time 1:4; umpires O'Loughlin and Mullen.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—White pitched in fine form holding the visitors to five scattered hits, while his team mates hit Hughes opportunely and with the aid of Washington's misplays won the final game of the series.

Chicago .....100 020 00x—3 10 1
Washington ....000 100 000—1 5 3

White and Block; Hughes and Street; time 1:55; umpires Connolly and Sheridan.

Religion and Business.

Many of the cathedrals of Europe are situated beside markets, and trafficking is done upon their steps and clear up into their recessed portals.

South Atlantic League.

At Macon 5; Columbia 13.
At Jacksonville-Savannah, rain.
At Columbus 3; S. A. L. 2 (12 innings.)
At Albany 5; Charleston 7.

Southern League

At Memphis 6; Mobile 5
At Nashville 10; New Orleans 0.
At Atlanta 12; Montgomery 7.
At Chattanooga 3; Birmingham 0.

Carolina League

At Charlotte 5; Anderson 4
At Greenville 7; Spartanburg 0.
At Greensboro 2; Winston-Salem 1.

Eastern League

At Buffalo 7; Providence 6.
At Montreal 3; Jersey City 2.
At Rochester 2; Newark 3.
At Toronto 3; Baltimore 2

American Association

At Indianapolis 1; Milwaukee 0.
At Toledo 0; St. Paul 3.
At Columbus 2; Kansas City 10
At Louisville 5; Monneapolis 12.

Virginia League

At Norfolk 3; Richmond 2.
Second: Norfolk 5; Richmond 1.
At Lynchburg 4; Roanoke 8.
At Danville 4; Petersburg 3.

Appalachian League

At Johnson City 4; Asheville 2.
At Bristol 1; Morristown 4.
At Cleveland 1; Knoxville 0.
Second: Cleveland 4; Knoxville 2.

BASEBALL PLAYERS PURCHASED

List Taken by Big Leagues Since the Season Opened.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 22.—The National Baseball Commission today gave out a list of players purchased by major league clubs since the close of the drafting season in 1910 and before the commencement of the drafting season in 1911, containing, however, only the names of players, agreements for whose purchase were filed with and approved by the National Commission.

National League. By Pittsburg, from Petersburg, Kelliher.

By New York. From Spartanburg, Ferrill

American League: By Washington, from Gadsden, Long; Greenville, Cashion; Spartanburg, Walker.

By New York. From Richmond, Priest, Reville, Martin.

GAME AT BLADENBORO.

Played With Clarkton's Second Nine Yesterday Afternoon.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Bladenboro, N. C., Aug. 22.—A very slow and uninteresting game of baseball was witnessed here today between Bladenboro and Clarkton's second nine. Both teams seem to be very weak and careless, the runs mostly being made on errors. Score: 11 to 9 in favor of the visiting team.

ANTI-JEWISH OUTBREAKS.

Giving Authorities Much Concern in England—New Phase.

London, August 22.—Anti Jewish outbreaks of a violent character have now occurred for three days in succession in Monmouthshire, and are giving the authorities the greatest concern, as they are altogether a new phase in British life. The Jewish community here has made strong representations to the Home Office and Home Secretary Churchill today gave them the assurance that no precautions should be overlooked to prevent a recurrence of the disorders.

The riots and looting of Jewish shops were of a desperate character, and the riot act had to be read and the military called out before the mobs were cowed. Additional soldiers were drafted by Ebbw Vale from Cardiff today, but similar scenes to those enacted last night, when Jewish shops were entered, occurred again tonight in Ebbw Vale, Tredegar, Rhymney and Brynmawr.

The presence of the troops prevented looting on such a large scale as on Monday night, but the police and military had to be continually chasing the rioters with their batons and swords.

In these charges many persons were injured and large numbers were arrested. The rioters attacked women and drove them shrieking in terror from their houses.

The only motive for the outbreaks is alleged to be that the Jews have been guilty of charging high rents to the workmen and raising the price of provisions since the recent strike began.

STRUCK BY WATERSPOUT.

Schooner Captains Arriving at Savannah Give Thrilling Story.

Savannah, Aug. 22.—Two schooners, the Samuel Dillaway, from Philadelphia, and William J. Quillan, from Newport News, are in port with tarilling tales of encounters with giant waterspouts off the Virginia coast on Sunday night.

Captain R. H. Smith, of the Dillaway, is confident that he saved his vessel from destruction by training the small signal gun which he carried, on the approaching waterspout and firing into it. He succeeded in breaking up the waterspout, although his vessel was badly rocked and almost swamped by contact with the seething waters.

The Quillan was not so fortunate. She lost her topsails through contact with the spout and the heavy seas that followed in its wake.

COLORED PYTHIANS.

Thousands Assembled at Indianapolis for Supreme Lodge Sessions.

Indianapolis, August 22.—Thousands of negroes assembled in this city for the National Convention of the colored Knights of Pythias, heard Booker T. Washington say in an address tonight in the Coliseum at the State Fair Grounds, that he "had no patience with the black man that was not proud he was an American negro."

"Teach the negro youth that, regardless of color there is the same chance for them that there is for the poverty-stricken Greek, Jew or Italian that comes to America, and may begin at the bottom and grow into great prosperity," said Booker T. Washington. "In spite of injustices and handicaps, we can triumph and prove we are useful and worthy citizens."

"SAILOR" BURKE WINS.

Outfought and Battered Billy Papke In Bout Last Nigt.

New York, Aug. 22. — "Sailor" Burke, of Brooklyn, outfought and battered Billy Papke, of Illinois, who claims the middleweight championship for ten rounds at the Twentieth Century Athletic Club tonight.

It was a disappointing mill to all the patrons of boxing, who expected a different showing from the Western man and the crowd hissed and booed continually after the first two rounds.

Burke went to his man at every stage of the fight and while he did not show any scientific work he elbowed the Illinois pugilist with a will which earned for the Brooklynite a hearty round of cheers as he left the ring with scarcely a mark on his body.

Both men fought poorly and Papke seemed either unwilling of unable to live up to what was expected of him. Two of the newly appointed State boxing commissioners were near the ringside closely following movements of the fighters.

Both men were over the middle weight limit of 158 pounds. No weights were announced, but both looked to be about 165 pounds.

Among those close to the ringside was the Marquis of Queensberry, who was writing a descriptive story of the fight for a New York newspaper.

When the crowd recognized the distinguished visitor there were loud cries of "Speech! Speech!" but the marquis stood up and simply bowed his acknowledgements.

CY YOUNG TO NATIONALS.

Famous American Leaguer Joins the Boston Team.

(Christian Science Monitor.)

The Boston National League baseball club has signed Pitcher Cy Young, recently released by the Cleveland club of the American League, for the balance of this season. Young is expected to report in this city tomorrow and will probably pitch his first game in a Boston National League uniform next Monday against Cincinnati.

Young is one of the most celebrated players the game has ever produced. He has been pitching major league baseball for 22 years, and is the only pitcher that has ever won 500 major league games. He has 507 victories to his credit to date.

Young's greatest work was done for the Boston American League team. He was one of the members of the team that won the first world's championship from Pittsburg in 1903, and it was largely through his work that both the American pennant and the world's title were won that year.

Coming into the National League, where he will pitch to batters who are unfamiliar with his work, it is expected that he will prove very efficient, especially as he will be materially helped by Kling, who knows the batting weaknesses of all the National League players.

BRITISH STEAMER MISTOR.

Seas Too Rough for Salvage Workers Yesterday—Crew Rescued. Asleep on Track, Derails Car—Passengers Shaken; Wires Down.

Westbrook, Conn., Aug. 22—A skunk asleep on the tracks, is held responsible for the partial derailing of a shore line trolley car here tying up traffic for a couple of hours.

When the car struck the skunk the forward trucks left the rails and the car ran into a trolley pole, bringing down the feed wires, which caused a suspension of all traffic on the line. The passengers all escaped with a severe shaking up.

CAROLINIAN DEAD IN MEXICO

Mining Engineer Killed While Riding on Construction Train

Bethania, N. C., Aug. 22.—Telegrams were received here, in Forsyth county, today telling of the death of Lindsay G. Bartow, a mining engineer, formerly of this place, in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico, last Friday. Beyond stating that Bartow was killed while riding on a railroad construction train, the messages gave none of the circumstances of his death. Mrs. Bartow is at El Paso where she went several weeks ago to join her husband.

STRIKE APPEARS ASSURED.

Illinois Central Employes Have Voted on the Question.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 22.—According to a dispatch received here early today by representatives of the Tennessee crafts the membership of which includes many employes of the Illinois Central Railroad Company and allied lines, the counting of the vote on a proposition to strike probably will be completed late today or tonight.

Leaders among the men who are members of the confederation state that a strike seems certain.

A Time Limit.

"I think it's just horrid of you that you won't advance $10 on my next week's house money." "Well, didn't I tell you I'm not making any permanent investments?"

TRY LIQUOR CASES

Going After Men "Higher Up" in Asheville, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, Aug. 22.—It is expected that some of the more important criminal cases will be disposed of this week in Superior Court. These will include some whiskey cases, the more interesting ones having to do with the search-and-seizure law violations. It is alleged that the men who are be tried this week are the ones "higher up" in the illicit whiskey traffic. During the early part of the week P. H. Thrash and George Cathey are to be tried for this offense.

The 1911 directory for the city of Asheville is to go to press at once. The canvassing is practically completed. According to estimates prepared by the directory publishers the number of names in the new directory will exceed the number in the last by at least 2,000.

The firm of Chas. A. Webb & Co., has purchased $35,000 of bonds voted sometime ago by the town of Rutherfordton for the establishment of water works, together with $5,000 worth of refunding bonds voted some years ago. They are 30-year 6 per cent. bonds.

The police arrested John Briggs and Isom Bradford, two white men of the North Asheville section, Sunday on the charge of selling whiskey to Tom Hathalee, who, it is alleged, purchased a pint of the spirits from each of the men by going to their houses; also that he obtained it without much trouble.

BRITISH STEAMER MISTER.

Beaufort, N. C., Aug. 22.—Conditions today were unfavorable for salvage operations on the British steamer Mistor, which went ashore Sunday night near the Core Bank life saving station. The wrecking steamer Rescue is ready to begin work when the weather permits. Eighteen men who were landed by the Core Bank life saving crew will be put aboard the steamer tomorrow. The remainder of the crew is on board the Rescue.

The Mistor is not leaking and as she has five water-tight bulkheads it is expected she will be floated. Most of her cargo probably will have to be jettysoned.

BREAKS FROM ELECTRIC CHAIR.

Volts Cause Murderer to Smash the Leather Straps

Eddyville, Ky., Aug. 22.—When Oliver Locke, a negro wife murderer, was paying the penalty for his crime here today in prison, he broke the leather straps to the death chair when the 1,200 volts of electricity were flashed through his body

His body was again strapped to the chair and 2,500 volts of electricity turned on. Several minutes elapsed before life was extinct.

ENGLISH LABOR TROUBLE.

Appointment of Investigating Commission—Liverpool Situation.

London, Aug. 22.—Further progress was made today toward bringing to an end the labor disputes in the Kingdom by the appointment of a government commission to investigate the railway problem and settle the local disputes of the Midland and Northeastern Railways.

The personnel of the commission is considered fairly to represent all contending in this. It will get to work in a fortnight and is expected to issue a report within a month or six weeks. The commission is made up of Sir David Harrel, former under-secretary for Ireland, Chairman Thomas R. Ellis, and Charles G. Beall, for the railroad, and Arthur Henderson and John Burnett, for the men.

The terms of the reference of the dispute to the commission are that it shall "investigate the working of the conciliation and arbitration agreement of 1907 and report what changes, if any, are desirable with a view to prompt and satisfactory settlement of differences."

The settlement arrived at today brings the Northeastern Railway into the agreement concluded at the Board of Trade conference last Saturday for the other railways.

Liverpool now remains the only serious point of labor trouble, the whole port there being tied up owing to the difficulty that is being encountered in settling the strike of the tramway men.

Parliament adjourned today until October, the government having decided that it was not necessary now to propose special legislation to deal with the industrial situation.

Brownsville, Texas, Aug. 21.—Juan Morales, a Spanish farmer living seven miles from here, killed a mountain lion with a jack knife, after the beast had entered the house and slain Morale's three-year-old child. Morale's arm was so badly mauled, it must be amputated.

Incomplete.

A German statistician has calculated that, roughly, there are 1,200,000,000,000 bees in the world. It is, of course, impossible to give the exact figures, as so many persons hide their bees in their bonnets.—Punch.

Self-Evident.

"They say she has never quarreled with her husband." "Then she must get up and close the windows herself every time it rains at night."—Detroit Free Press

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Occasionally a man's conceit attains that superlative degree where he talks glibly in his own interest and calls it working for the general good.—Atchison Globe.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Governor on Uniform Divorce Laws. State Administration Building. Pistol Goes Off Accidentally—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 22.—Calls made upon him by New York papers for an expression of views as to the National movement on uniform divorce laws has elicited from Governor Kitchin the declaration that he regards the divorce question as one for the State to settle separately, but that uniform divorce laws throughout the United States are desirable, particularly so if the uniformity can be obtained along the lines followed by the older States of the Union.

He declares, however, that he would vigorously oppose a uniformity, so far as North Carolina's coming into it is concerned, if along the lines followed by some of the newer States in the West. These would not be at all desirable, he says. He expects that the next annual conference of the Association or Governors of the States will go into this matter fully.

The Supreme Court building and the agricultural building are receiving just now a treatment of "fire proofing" in the way of automatic fire proof window shutters along the deep alleyway between the two buildings. The purpose is to confine the flames within the building in which it originates in case of an outbreak. Both buildings are considered veritable fire-traps and the constant danger of valuable contents, especially in historic material and libraries and hall of history being burned caused the appropriation of $250,000 for the proposed fireproof administration building soon to be erected.

Commissioner of Agriculture Graham has called a conference of the secretaries and other officers of the local and district fairs to be held in this State during the Fall to determine upon a fixed or uniform set of rules for judging of exhibits and the awarding of premiums. There are 20 fairs in the State, the State fair included, that are expected to participate in this conference and abide by the regulations adopted. This is the first time a uniform system of this sort has been undertaken in this State.

Corporation Commissioner W. T. Lee and Stenographer Griffin have gone to Brevard to look into some tax assessment differences that have developed between the property owners, the local and county assessors and the county board of equalization. The commission has numbers of these differences in various parts of the State to adjust and there seems to be every indication that the commission, as the State Board of Equalization, will have far more to do in this capacity than ever before.

The Savodine Co., Newbern, is chartered with $25,000 capital authorized and $4,000 subscribed for the manufacture of Savodine and the conduct of a general drug and chemical business, by Dr. Leinster Duffy and others. There is also a charter for The Reece-Alexander Co. (Inc.), Charlotte, capital $25,000, by A. B. Reece, O. T. Alexander and others for a drug business.

The Academy of Music building here has been purchased from Charlotte interests headed by P. M. Brown by a number of Raleigh gentlemen, including ex-Judge R. W. Winston, H. E. Litchford, F. K. Ellington and others and will be converted to other uses in a few months and an entirely new Academy, modern in every equipment and on the ground floor, erected on adjacent property on Salisbury street, south of the old Academy. It is to have main entrances from both Martin and Salisbury streets. The present Academy is to have the second and third stories of the remodeled building converted into an annex for Wright's Hotel.

Last night in the store of the Levine Clothing Co., Manager Louis Cohen was cleaning out his desk when he moved an old revolver that fired accidentally, the bullet wounding one finger and clipping off a piece of his ear. The shock was so great that Mr. Cohen fainted away for a few moments. He didn't even know the revolver was loaded, he says.

The plans in detail for the new State administration building that is to be erected at a cost of about $250,000 on the south side of Capital Square, are to be ready early in September and then as little time is to be lost as possible in the procurement of bids and awarding the contract for the erection of the building. It is expected that the clearing away of the old buildings and the excavations for the splendid fire-proof structure that is to go up, will require the greater part of the Winter months, the concrete construction to begin in full swing in the early Spring.

Judge Peebles has denied the petition of counsel for Dr. J. J. L. McCullers for a mandamus compelling the Wake county commissioners to pay the claims he has for fees in July for service as county superintendent of health. This is a victory for the commissioners in the fight they are making against recognizing a county superintendent of health appointed arbitrarily by Dr. W. S. Rankin as Secretary of the State Board of Health after the county commissioners and County Board of Education had failed to agree on Dr. McCullers and on a proposed $2,500 salary. Further developments are awaited with interest.

WATER IN CAPE FEAR RIVER.

River Rose Two Feet in Two Hours at Fayetteville Yesterday.

(Fayetteville Observer, 22nd.)

The river was reported as rising this morning, but is still very low. No boats are running.

Later—The river rose two feet in two hours this morning. The stage of water at Fayetteville is about four feet at this writing.

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AT MONTREAT, N. C.

Something of the Summer Colony at This Delightful Resort.

(By Mamie Bays.)

Montreat, N. C., Aug. 22.—A very important meeting of the stockholders and of the directors of the Mountain Retreat Association has just been held, and at that meeting, Hon. J. D. Murphy, who had been elected president of the Mountain Retreat Association at a meeting held a few days previous, decline to accept. Rev. R. C. Anderson, D. D., of Gastonia, was unanimously and heartily elected president and general manager of the Association and was asked to give his entire time to the service of the Association.

This was done to carry out the destined policy of enlargement and development of the association. During the last three years about $50,000 of indebtedness has been removed from the association, through generous gifts and otherwise.

The large and overflowing crowds at Montreat this season make it manifest that larger accommodation must be provided before another season. There are certain improvements that seem almost essential to realize the larger ideals of Montreat.

It is the policy of the managing committee and directors to keep the association free from debt, and while no definite plans have been formulated, the enlargement on a cash basis is what is now proposed.

Dr. Anderson has promised to give the stockholders, directors and managing committee a definite answer whether he will undertake the work involved as president and general manager, the answer to be given within 30 days. He has been a member of the managing committee for about three years, and last year he was special agent, appointed to raise $15,000 on the indebtedness of the association, in order that the association might receive the benefit of the offer of the late John S. Muyler. This work was accomplished, and the managing committee hopes that Dr. Anderson will see his way clear to accept the position of president and general manager of the association which has just been offered him.

Another important action of this meeting of the association was the taking of steps toward the establishment of a first grade preparatory school at Montreat. This matter was discussed and was referred to a special committee which will submit a report to a subsequent meeting of the managing committee.

A large number of visitors has arrived at Montreat during the past few days, and this fact, combined with the others that the Summer Assembly will close this week, points to the probability of a good sized crowd here during September. The guests who have just arrived have come largely from Florida, Alabama, Louisiana and South Georgia, where the heat is still intense, and they are finding the climate afforded at Montreat all, and more, than they expected, and a most delightful change from that of the lower part of the country.

The auditorium was crowded on Sunday morning and evening, the opinion of some who have been here all Summer being that the congregations on that day were larger than on any previous Sunday during the present season.

The following resolutions, presented by Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., were adopted by a rising vote of the Summer Assembly, immediately after the close of the last address of Rev. R. G. Pearson, D. D., in the series of addresses which he has delivered on the Book of Acts:

"Resolved First, That the Montreat Association and the audience present do tender to Dr. R. G. Pearson their cordial and grateful thanks for the lucid, Biblical, spiritual, instructive and inspiring lectures on vital religious subjects here given them, and would earnestly pray that God would spare his life, confirm his health, and give him strength to impart to others the Bible knowledge he has mastered.

"Resolved second, We approve the election of Dr. R. G. Pearson as Professor of the English Bible in Columbia Seminary, and rejoice that our young men will have such sound and needful instruction as he is capable of giving."

Mr. C. E. Graham presided over the meeting at which these resolutions were adopted, and in connection with the adoption of the resolutions, there were many verbal tributes paid to the helpful results of the teaching and preaching of Dr. Pearson, here and elsewhere.

Dr. Pearson has accepted the position tendered him in Columbia Theological Seminary and will begin his work there at the beginning of the session of the Seminary this Fall. He has had large experience as a teacher of the English Bible, as well as pastor and evangelist, having taught for seven years in the Theological Seminary which was located at Lebanon, Tenn.

The services of Sunday, which was the last Sunday included in the programme of the Summer Assembly of Presbyterians, was a fitting climax to the entire programme. The preacher both morning and evening was Rev. Howard Agnew Johnstone, D. D., of Stamford, Conn., and it is not extravagance to say that seldom, if ever has an audience in North Carolina listened to two sermons of greater thought and deeper spiritual power. Dr. Johnstone is a native of Ohio; he is a man of gigantic intellect, which has received the most careful and the highest training, making him a scholar with all the meaning that word can convey. He possesses withal that greatest power of attraction, and that which is always the accompaniment of the man of real greatness the simple earnest faith of the child and humility of spirit that expresses Christ-likeness. He possesses a charm of personality which adds much to his power in the pulpit, because it is that power which commands and holds the confidence of those with whom he comes in contact. He stands in the very forefront as author, teacher, and preacher, but in nothing is his power more manifest than in his faith and in his prayer life. His sermons on Sunday, the subject of one being "The Scientific Character of the Christian Faith," and that of the other, "The Power of Prayer," will live in the hearts of the hundreds of people who heard him, just as will the series of devotional addresses which he is delivering from day to day through the third period of the Assembly. No man has appeared on the programme whose messages have been more scriptural, convincing and helpful, and no man will be more cordially received at Montreat next year.

DUNN NEWS NOTES

Investment in Sand Hill Lands—Personal and General News Items

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., Aug. 21.—Southern Pines, Aberdeen and Pinehurst are keeping a lot of fuss about the sand-hill lands in the counties of Hoke, Richmond and Moore, but they seem to forget that Harnett owns a large area of this land and that it is being rapidly developed. A few years ago one of Dunn's wealthiest citizens, Mr. Joel C. Layton, bought a large tract of this land between Lillington and Spout Springs, cleaned off the black jacks and made some record breaking crops. Today he is being offered fancy prices for his land, and South Carolina farmers have bought large tracts near him. The new railroad from Lillington to Broadway goes through this section of country, and in a few years the very land that has made Harnett the butt of a good many State-wide jokes, is going to be the most progressive part of the State.

The Harnett bar met in Lillington last week and arranged the calender for the September term of court which will convene on the first Monday in September for a one-week term, for the trial of civil and criminal cases. Judge R. B. Peebles will preside.

Mr. P. S. Cooper, president of the First National Bank, returned last week from his vacation very much improved in health.

Miss Augusta Dawson, daughter of Mr. J. T. Dawson, from near Dunn, was married last week to Joe Baker, assistant postmaster at Raleigh. Miss Dawson was a student at King's Business College last year and has since been holding a position in Goldsboro.

Mr. G. F. Pope and family and Mr. C. H. Ballance and wife are spending several days at Wrightsville Beach——Miss Slocumb Smith, of Duke, passed through town Saturday, en route to High Point to spend sometime with her sister, Miss Sue Smith——Mr. J. F. Womble, the efficient agent of the Durham & Southern, has resigned his position to take effect on Oct. 1st, and will go to Southmont, on the Winston-Salem Southbound, to take the active management of a handle and hub factory which he has organized. Mr. Womble has been elected secretary and treasurer of the new corporation.

Mr. E. Lee received a telegram from his son, Eugene, yesterday stating that he was resting very comfortably at the hospital in Mexico City. Eugene wrote last week that he feared his lower limbs were paralyzed and an operation would be necessary, as it was feared that the bullet was resting on his spinal column. Mr. M. F. Lee, a brother of Eugene, had made his arrangements to start for Mexico this afternoon, but the telegram states that the operation will not be necessary and it will be useless for any of the family to take that long trip, hence Mr. Lee will not go just at present.

Mr. P. A. Lee and wife, Mr. W. F. Lee and Miss Pauline Wade left today for Farmville, Va., to attend the marriage of Miss Julia Forbes, of that place, to Mr. John Thornton, of Dunn.

Capt. James S. Evans, of Livingstone, Texas, left this afternoon for Fayetteville to visit relatives in and near there. Capt. Evans left North Carolina 19 years ago and this is the first trip to his old home.

He was born near Fayetteville and has a great many friends and kindred in the Cape Fear section. He married Miss Lucy Pearsall, of Clinton, and from this union there were born ten children, nine before they moved to Texas. These ten children are all living and are scattered over Texas and California. Capt. Jim is an old veteran, going through the four years' struggle and surrendering at Appomatox. Tomorrow the surviving members of his company will meet him in a reunion at Fayetteville. Capt. Jim was met at Montreat by some of his friends and after spending several days there came to Dunn and spent some time visiting his relatives and friends here and at Clinton.

FAYETTEVILLE EXCURSION. AUGUST 29TH.

On the above date the Atlantic Coast Line offers special reduced rates to Fayetteville via special train—train leaves Wilmington at 7:30 A. M., and on returning trip leaves Fayetteville at 9:00 P. M., same date. Fare from Wilmington will be only $1.25 for the round trip, and corresponding law rates from stations enroute. Separate cars for white and colored passengers.

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NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER County—In the Superior Court, September Term, 1911: Flossie Goins vs. Harvey Watson, alias Harry Watson Harris:—Notice—The above named defendant will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover County, for the purpose of annuling the bonds of matrimony between the plaintiff and defendant, and for declaring void an attempted marriage between them; and said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at a term of the Superior Court of said county, to be held in Wilmington, N. C., on the 25th day of September, 1911, and to answer, or demur, to the complaint of the plaintiff in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint. This 19th day of August, 1911. JNO. D. TAYLOR, Clerk Superior Court. New Hanover County. W. N. Harriss, Deputy. au32-1awlw-w

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No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, 15:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 16:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
No. 58, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 13:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, *7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

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IN EFFECT AUGUST 14, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

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6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:45 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
*5:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
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11:00 P. M.	until
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Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	8:50am.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R	10:50am	3:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R	5:35pm	8:00am

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Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R	3:00 p. m.
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Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	5:05 a. m.
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Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	6:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	2:30 a m

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Wednesday, August 23, 1911.

Sometimes the nice side of a question is not the right side.

In a land where duels are fought self-government is about fifty years behind the times.

Just as was expected, President Taft yesterday vetoed the Democratic-Insurgent cotton tariff revisal.

About the worst thing President Taft did to Congress was to tie the can to it in honor of his Tariff Board.

Suppose Upton Sinclair does "have no respect for the law," that is no reason why the law should be repealed.

President Taft is to take another Western trip, just as if that is the only part of the country to which he owes an apology.

A man who is offensive is generally on the defensive. So is a politician who has an office that looks good to some other incompetent.

The old way of getting elected was to not let on but what everybody could count on you to make it unanimous for whatever they wanted.

Now that Congress has adjourned, it can again be stated that Col. Roosevelt never has apologized to Judge Parker, and furthermore that Senator Lorimer has never resigned.

Vice President Sherman has now written a letter in which he knocks President Taft's reciprocity agreement with Canada. That may be Sunny Jim's way of getting some other people to change over in favor of it.

President Taft's friends justify his vetoes on the ground that he thus prevented the Democrats and Insurgents from putting him in the hole. Why, the coalitionists were under the impression that the President was already in the hole and that they were doing their best to throw him the calf rope.

A dispatch from Rochester to the New York Sun states that before the Jefferson Club a few night ago, Speaker Frisbie delivered a speech in which he named Governor John A. Dix as the Empire State's logical Democratic candidate for President in 1912. We shall have to wait to hear from Nebraska as to whether Dix shall be entered as an eligible. Of course, there is a difference between being an eligible and a probability.

The Chicago Board of Health has issued a bulletin warning people not to rock the baby or jigety-jig the kid, or to toss it up and down. All of this is said to be heathenish and will injure the baby's mind or its spine or affect its heart or in some way do some damage to the baby. The bulletin says a man couldn't stand the nonsensical things done to a baby, but what the baby wants is a nice cot to rest on and to be treated like it is a human being. Of course, you can walk the baby all night just so it isn't carried like it is a sack of sand.

Wall street was glad when Congress adjourned and the Washington Post observes: "What a rebound in the stock market owing to the politicians' giving the country a rest!" The Post also remarks: "With Congress off the job, the busy world picks up the morning paper with no misgivings, no presentiment of something wrong." This leaves us to infer that the patriots of Wall street are afraid Congress would dig the foundations from under the country. The country, however, will conclude that the stock speculators are glad because they feel safer when the peoples' representatives have taken their eye off them.

DANGEROUS CORN PRODUCTS

There seems to be another pellagra scare in South Carolina and again the blame is being put on corn. The Columbia Record a few days ago stated that at Glendale, Spartanburg county, a number of pellagra cases developed and that in tracing up the cause of it the general supply of corn meal in town was found to be dangerously spoiled. Since the appearance of the diseaes and the discovery of damaged meal in the stores, not a particle of corn products is being sold in the little town. Says our esteemed Columbia contemporary:

"Many merchants throughout South Carolina are withholding from sale corn meal, grits and other corn products, until samples of their stocks can be examined at the departmental laboratories and pronounced safe for food, according to communications received by Col. E. J. Watson, commissioner of agriculture commerce and industries. Since the issuance of the report, the people have been unwilling to buy until the goods in the stores have been pronounced safe by the State chemists, and the merchants, aware of the heavy penalty for disposing of spoiled stuff, have discouraged buying until the chemists have examined their goods.

"No report has yet been received from the laboratories as to the samples which have been taken in all the grocery stores in Columbia and up to noon Saturday, the special inspector sent to investigate the manufacturing establishments in other States, from which the spoiled corn has been sent out, had not sent in his report. It is probable that by Monday some further light will be thrown on the matter."

We infer from the foregoing that the source of the damaged corn and meal has been traced outside the State, and since the Southern States are not supplying each other with corn, it is presumed that the South Carolina supply has come from the Western corn belt. It seems furthermore, that in this instance the illness of the people at Glendale has been traced to meal that wasn't fit for food. The fact is, any food product that is musty is unfit for food and is dangerous, and while inspections by the health authorities will go a long way towards preventing the public from being subjected to the purchase of unfit corn products, it lies largely with millers, shippers, dealers and merchants to protect the public by such examinations as will assure consumers that the goods they will sell are not moulded, sour or musty.

The fact is, the safest plan is for the Southern States to raise their own corn in the old way and harvested as it used to be harvested before the Western method of cutting corn in the stalk and shocking it in the field hweer it is subjected to all kinds of weather. In the corn raising days of the South, the fodder was pulled, the corn left in the field to dry, later pulled, hauled in, shucked and stored in a well ventilated crib. Nobody heard of pellagra when we used a corn supply treated that way.

In the West, owing to early frost, corn is often pulled before it is thoroughly ripe and is dryed in kilns. It may be possible that this method is at fault, but there is no doubt that by storing corn, and by shipping it long distances in closed or damp cars, there is every probability that it will be heated and moulded before it reaches its destination. We rather suspect that in the storage and shipment of corn lies most of the trouble. We can avoid that by producing our own corn and harvesting it in the good old Southern way. This is an important subject, and we find in the Columbia Record of Monday this editorial reference to it:

"This agitation in regard to the sale and use of damaged corn products for human food calls for thought. It opens up to the musing mind several lines of inquiry which we have not seen discussed in the State press.

"At the outset one may wonder that by now the matter has not had more than local attention. It is true, and not to our credit that South Carolina has not until lately exercised any efficient supervision over her food supplies; but other States have been equally careless, and if corn meal and grits unfit for human consumption are being sold here, it is very likely that the people of other States are exposed to all the dangers that may menace our own people from that source. We have not heard, however, that other States are exercised over such perils, although the findings of our own State commissioner, which on their face are rather alarming, have had more than local circulatin in the newspapers. It may be that our commissioner has in this matter shown more enterprise, taken a more advanced position, than similar functionaries of other commoawealths. If so we have cause to congratulate ourselves; and in that case it would appear to be as little as we could do to put others on guard without delay, by making known the situation here and by urging upon the several States and upon Federal department of agriculture, the importance of making immediate investigation, into the question of how generally the dangerous conditions believed to prevail here may exist elsewhere. We cannot upon present information bring ourselves to think that South Carolina is in worse case than numbers of other States in regard to the character of corn products in domestic use. Yet the showing made on this subject by our State department of agriculture, commerce and industries is undoubtedly one that challenges more than passing attention."

MORE IN THE MAN FOR OFFICE.

The people of all the States should be more concerned in the kind of men they elect to office than they are in some of the so-called new issues sprung by a certain class of aspiring politicians without any great popular demand for new platform material. When it is necessary to conduct a campaign of education to get the masses to understand what the politicians are aiming at, it is evidence of the fact that the popular clamor for some of the reforms of the day is a negligible quantity. A political question is merely academic when it is necessary to go on the stump and create enough public sentiment to cause its adoption by the people.

The distinction between the Democratic and Republican parties is so marked that it is not necessary to confuse the straight issues upon which the real fight hinges. A great many Democrats are dyed in the wool on the fundamental principles of the party, but they are rather doubtful as to, or reject, some of the isms which really are not and never will be bedrock principles. We get too far from real Democracy and alienate many of its strongest friends by some of the so-called issues that are warped into the platforms or tacked on with high sounding words and phrases which the average voter doesn't understand till he happens to hear them expounded by campaign orators.

We do not have to go back to many campaigns to recall some "paramount issues" that are now as dead as Hector and are beyond even the hope of ressurrection. The party, when it should have won on its fundamental principles, has been beaten out of its boots on paramounts. The Republican party is the high tariff and the big burden party—the party of centralized ideas, the party of privilege and graft, and the party of the moneyed interests, as the record shows. The Democratic party is for equal rights and special privileges for none—a party which believes in placing every man, rich or poor, on an equal footing. It is the party which opposes high tariff taxes to burden consumers for the benefit of the favored few. It is for the lowest possible, equitably distributed tariff that will provide the revenues of the country without damage to any industry and without discrimination in levying the tariff as it bears on the various sections. The Democratic party is the people's party, and the Republican party is the party of special interests.

These issues are plain enough, and if our best men are sent to the Senate and to the House of Representatives they can be trusted to legislate along these lines and pass upon other lesser issues when they are sprung in the course of legislation. The Washington Post said a great deal in a paragraph the other day when it said: "It is too bad that our Congressmen don't get their education before they come to Washington, instead of afterwards." There is a strong point in that, and it is emphasized in the fact that a Congressman has to serve several terms before he "learns the ropes," which is vulgar parlance for getting educated up to the point of making him an intelligent and efficient legislator capable of dealing with questions for the good of the country.

It generally takes us a half century or more to effect a reform because of the fact that we are continuously sending raw recruits to Congress, to be exchanged for another raw set just about the time the first raw recruits get "educated" and are in a position to deal in a practical and patriotic way with public questions. There is a great deal more in giving preferment to men of known integrity, ability and patriotism than there is in sending to Congress a certain class of politicians who will commit themselves to any ism to get into a legislative body in which they cut very little ice—at least, till they have been in Congress long enough to get educated up to the fact that they are there to meet conditions as they exist instead of adhering to theories that are liable to be exploded at the first crack out of the box.

There is more in the man for the office than there is in some so-called issues for getting the office. A Congressman should be selected for his integrity and ability instead of being nominated on the ground that any one county or section of the district is "entitled to the nomination this time." The district doesn't owe anything to any county. It owes it to itself to be ably represented in Congress without regard to the quarter of the district from which he hails. The spoils idea has to be cut out.

GOOD ROADS AND SANITATION.

The Chattanooga Times in alluding to a recent publication in the Star, says:

"An organization of negroes, described by the newspapers of the vicinity as being 'progressive, intelligent and self-respecting,' has recently been formed at Wilmington, N. C., for the purpose of promoting (1) a sentiment for good roads, and (2) gathering knowledge and enlightenment respecting health and the methods of promoting it by personal cleanliness and neighborhood sanitation. These are two admirable things for the colored people to have diligently in mind. Through good roads he will shortly become a protective citizen down on the farm; and perhaps on 'his own' farm. Cleanliness is one of the virtues the negro must learn before he can hope for a sound mind in a healthy body, and sanitation follows it closely. We can commend these two subjects of civic and social importance to the colored people of this community with the certain assurance that if they study them and act respecting them as good sense and sound judgment dictate, they will reap a profit of tremendous value. It is about time, as these people of Wilmington prove, that the negro were becoming a constructive citizen and learning the ways of wholesome living by keeping both his body and his premises clean."

The Star also takes this opportunity to again refer to and commend this movement among the colored people of Wilmington. The health authorities called upon them for their co-operation, and much interest was manifested in all the quarters of the city occupied by colored residents. The ministers and leading men of the race took hold of it, and they worked up good audiences to listen to addresses by physicians and experts on sanitation. The work should be persisted in, and in this way much can be done to make a cleaner and healthier Wilmington. The combined subject of sanitation and good roads is enlightening and progressive, and it should be followed up, not only in Wilmington, but throughout the country.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Now that Congress has decided to make the House of Representatives bigger, let the voters see what they can do toward improving the quality.—Chicago Daily News.

An opening gun in the great conservation fight about to be inaugurated was fired today when Senator Poindexter introduced in the Senate a bill providing for the effective conservation of resources of Alaska. The measure not only provides for the development of coal and mineral land under government ownership, either under leases or by direct government operation, but it proposes that the government shall assume charge of the construction of railroads and that railroad building and railroad transportation henceforth in the territory shall be under direct government regulation and supervision. The bill proposes that from Controller Bay into the Alaskan coal fields the government shall build and operate the railroad, for which exclusive rights were given to Richard S. Ryan by the President. In fact, Poindexter proposes to restore to the public, through condemnation proceedings, the enormously valuable public property the President has given away, and provide effectively against the monopolization of transportation, which the President had made possible, by government ownership of at least one railroad line to the coal mines.—Philadelphia North American.

In the old hookworm days when we would get so tired that we needed rest, we were fond of running down to Smithville, now Southport, to recline under the spreading branches of the old live oak trees, and eat clam fritters prepared by "Miss Kate." But if reports are true the old place is to get a hustle on and then where shall we go when "that tired feeling" returns? The government is to establish a coaling station there. And it is hinted that later on a naval station is coming. The Wilmington, Brunswick & Southern Railroad in which some of our citizens are interested has already reached Southport; and Brother Gannt, who has made his fortune through the Whiteville News-Reporter, and has been spending it about Waynesville, got in touch with Col. Jones and is more certain than ever that the trans-Atlantic is coming on down to Southport with a rush; then too, the Seaboard seems to have anchored to the Clinchfield road and the coal fields are to move to the sea over both, as well as the products of the wheat and corn fields of the West and the "cattle upon a thousand hills." This will be the route to the mouth of the Panama Canal too, and there will be lively times at old Smithville yet, if this racket keeps up—it makes us tired and hungry and we will pursue this subject later when the vision becomes clearer—but we do wish we had some of those clam fritters right here and now.—Maxton Scottish Chief.

HAIL MONTREAT!

Montreat, Montreat, where the land and sky meet,
Where new life and vigor are imparted,
We will sing praises of thy water
And altitude for the common ills of humanity.

Dull indeed and hardened is man's spirituality
If it cannot be benefitted by the meetings at Montreat,
Thy social conditions far surpass other sections
And whoever inquires from whence comes a stranger,
It is enough to know that he imbibing of thy waters.

Oh, for a jeweled trumpet, oh for a golden horn,
That a mighty blast be sounded on this beautiful Summer morn,
That all the spiritually weak souls with their ills of body and mind
Could be brought to thy healing waters and strengthened by thy delightful clime.
To thee, serene Montreat, a veritable nest in the mountains,
Do I lift my hat for a grand and glorious future.

—VISITOR.

Currie, N. C., Aug. 22nd.

BIG LABOR DAY EXCURSION—GET READY FOR IT NOW.

Are you going to be one of the big crowd to take in the big excursion to Newbern on Labor Day, via the Atlantic Coast Line, or are you going to miss the best opportunity ever offered to enjoy a most delightful and inexpensive outing? Don't miss this splendid trip. There is no reason for it. You can make it for only $1.25 and why let that small amount stand in the way of your spending an outing unequalled by any similar event of the season. It is certainly the best offering presented to the people of this place for years, and it is expected that when the train pulls out that day, she will carry an immense crowd of happy excursionists. Train leaves Union Station at 7:30 A. M. and will leave Newbern on return at 10 P. M. Remember the time, Labor Day, September 4th. This excursion will be under the management of Thomas H. Knights, which is a sufficient guarantee that it will be all that is promised.

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Dollar-Wise People

Will Buy Heavily During This Summer Sale of Specials.

Surely a Season of Veils—And the Shetland, the most popular of them all. These variously plain and in the fashionable open meshes, at **98c., $1.48** and **$1.98.**

Black Mourning Veils, **50c** to **$10.00.**

Corsets—August Special—The Royal Worcester Corset; short, with supporters; only small sizes, namely 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22; $1.00 seller; to close, at **39c.**

We'll have still about another month or more at the beach, so you will want a white Duck Hat: Ladies' latest style at **$1.48;** Men's latest White Duck Hat, **50c.**

Special White Muslin Drawers and Corset Covers; good muslin; lace or embroidery-trimmed, at **25c.;** also Gowns and Skirts special at **98c.**

How about the Boys' School Suits? We have the New Fall Suit of the latest style; split hipped, peg top knickerbocker suits; every suit Guaranteed; Blue Serge, at **$5.00;** Fancy Worsted, **$6.50** and **$7.50;** usual price, $8.50 and $10.00; sizes 9 to 18.

Men's Summer Clothes—Sicilian Mohair Suits or Coat and Pants, $15.00 to $18.00 quality; grey and blue, at **$12.50.**

If you should go to the beach for the day, or off on a fishing trip, you will either need Hot Tea or Ice Water. If so, get one of those Thermos Bottles, only **$1.00.**

Black Silk Turban Hats; new fall styles, just received; good variety and only **$2.75.**

New Black Silk Shirt Waists, open back or front, tucked sleeves; well made; all sizes, 34 to 44, at **$2.98.**

Better quality Taffeta Silk Waists, at **$3.50** and **$4.98.**

Few Fancy Shapes Hats, in large brim; assorted colors of straw; to close at **25c.**

Special White Oxford Sale—On All White Shoes.

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
The FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE

Great Values In White Val. Lace—10c. Kinds For 5c.

"SUNSET" COX'S WIFE DIES.

Demise of Widow of Famed Congressman Occurs in Washington.

Washington, August 22.—Mrs. S. S. Cox, widow of "Sunset" Cox, who was for thirty years a member of Congress from Ohio and New York, died here today, aged 82 years. During the time her brilliant husband was in Congress Mrs. Cox was one of the social leaders of the National capital. Her body will be taken to Brooklyn, N. Y., for interment beside that of her husband.

Washington, August 22.—Two bills, one to prevent the use of the mails for the transportation of matter relative to "dealing in futures or stock gambling," the other to prohibit the sending through the mails of obscene or threatening matter, were introduced today by Representative Garrett, of Tennessee. They provide heavy penalties for violation of the law.

HEALTHY MOTHERS

Women who bear children and remain healthy are those who prepare their systems in advance of baby's coming. Unless the mother aids nature in its pre-natal work the crisis finds her system unequal to the demands made upon it, and she is often left with weakened health or chronic ailments. No remedy is so truly a help to nature as Mother's Friend, and no expectant mother should fail to use it. It relieves the pain and discomfort caused by the strain on the ligaments, makes pliant and elastic those fibres and muscles which nature is expanding, prevents numbness of limbs, and soothes the inflammation of breast glands. The system being thus prepared by Mother's Friend dispels the fear that the crisis may not be safely met. Mother's Friend assures a speedy and complete recovery for the mother, and she is left a healthy woman to enjoy the rearing of her child. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.

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are readily indulged in by those who have perfect teeth—they don't mind displaying them. And broad grins are also indulged in by those who have had their teeth attended to by us—they have experienced satisfaction. If your teeth are decaying, or aching, come to us and we will remedy the trouble and charge you only moderately for our professional services.

DR. CULBRETH'S Dental Parlors
Front and Princess Sts.

PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals, for the shoeing of the horses of the Fire Department and the horses of the Police Department will be received at the City Hall up to and until 12 o'clock M., August the 28th, 1911.

BERNICE C. MOORE,
Au 18-9t Dept. of Public Safety.

Feet Hurt?

If they do and you want relief, get a pair of

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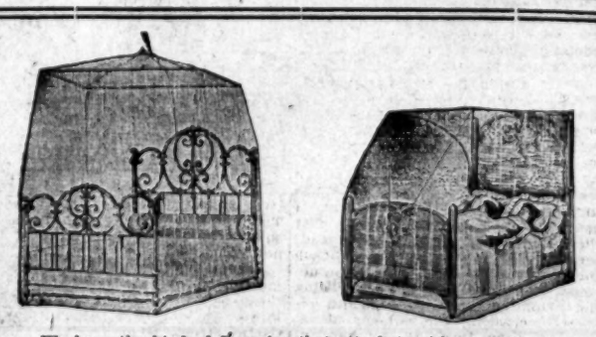

We have the kind of Canopies that attach to either wood or iron beds, or swing from the ceiling, complete with a net that stops Mr. Mosquito and turns him away hungry and disappointed. We also have a net that turns sand flies away.

See our Hammocks, Hammock Beds, Porch Swings and Settees. Bargains in Porch Screens.

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WILMINGTON'S GREAT FURNITURE STORE.

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Organized March, 1899, with $200,000 capital.
Capital and Surplus now.....$1,300,000.00
Every useful facility at the service of depositors.
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REGULAR WEEKLY SEANCE

Discussion of Health Matters Featured the Session of Council Yesterday—Most Matters Go Over Until Later

The feature of the regular weekly meeting of the City Council yesterday afternoon, if there was really any feature, was a discussion of matters which came up from the health department via the City Board of Health in the form of recommendations. Action in nearly every item considered was deferred. Mayor Smith presided with all Councilmen in attendance except Councilman W. E. Perdew, who is out of the city. The legal department was represented by Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, superintendent. There were present also City Engineer Pillett and Capt. Thos. D. Meares, the clerk.

The first matter brought up was a communication from Former City Engineer C. R. Humphreys making some suggestions relative to the construction of the bridge over the A. C. L. tracks at Fifth street, which was referred to Councilman P. Q. Moore and City Engineer Pillett.

At the last meeting a request of Mr. D. C. Love, representing the board of managers of the hospital, that the city pay a bill of $299.83 for making sewerage connection at the institution, was referred to Councilman Tiencken, in charge of the Department of Accounts and Finance, and he reported as follows:

"To the Councilmen of the City of Wilmington:

"Gentlemen:—With reference to the request of the James Walker Memorial Hospital for payment of the sewerage connections recently made, which bill was referred to me for consideration and report, I beg to say that I regret extremely that in view of the lack of any funds from which to pay this bill, unless a special appropriation is made, and in further view of the fact that we have more than anticipated all the possible revenue of the city for the ensuing fiscal year, it does not seem proper for us to incur any additional expense. I would like to do anything possible for the hospital but I hardly think our finances will permit at this time.

"M. G. TIENCKEN,
"Councilman."

The report was accepted and approved by the Council. The Wilmington Sewerage Company, which did the work, is pressing payment of the bill, and, it is said, will hold the city responsible for its payment. It was suggested at the meeting yesterday that the Council order payment of the bill and deduct the amount from the monthly appropriation of $500 made to the hospital. After some discussion it was decided to again notify the hospital managers that unless provision is made by them for the settlement of the account in four or five days the city will pay it and deduct from the monthly appropriation. It is believed that the refusal of the hospital authorities to permit the city superintendent of health to attend charity patients at the hospital sent there by him when a request for his services is made, has caused Council to assume somewhat different attitude toward the institution than would have been shown had the permission been granted, though there was not even a whisper of this at the meeting yesterday.

Section 8 of the commission form of government act provides that "every ordinance or resolution appropriating money or ordering any street improvement,' 'etc., "shall be complete in the form in which it is finally passed, and remain on file with the city clerk for public inspection, at least one week before the final passage or adoption thereof." Capt. Meares brought to the attention of the body that the resolutions adopted last Wednesday letting the contract for removal of slops and appropriating $2,000 to pay for the same, would have to be acted upon again at yesterday's meeting. Hhe resolutions then passed their second reading. However, the week required by law does not expire until this morning, for it was at a spcial meeting last Wednesday that the resolutions passed their first readings. Capt. Meares also brought up the matter of whether it would be necessary to adopt on second reading the resolution relative to health officers, increasing the number of inspectors from taree to six and increasing the salary of two. This was about to go through on second reading when the question was raised that it had not been a week since the resolution passed first reading, as it was last Thursday that the resolution was first adopted. So this matter went over to the next meeting. It is well enough that it did because a vote would have been a tie. Mayor Smith and Councilman B. C. Moore favored the resolution, while Councilmen Tiencken and P. Q. Moore opposed. Councilman Perdew holds the deciding vote and he was not present to cast it.

The major portion of the remainder of the session was taken up in consideration of a communication from the City Board of Health, giving report of the meeting held last week, the gist of which had already been presented orally by Dr. Nesbitt. The first matter was a recommendation that the Council adopt an ordinance requiring smallpox quarantine. Formerly quarantine for this disease was required by a State law, but this was repealed by the last Legislature at the request of the State Board of Health, which body, as then constituted, held that quarantine was not only not regarded but was really a drawback in a campaign to stamp out smallpox. However, experience has shown physicians and others in many counties of the State that it is unwise to abolish the quarantine and they have caused to be enacted local measures, which are just as effective. After some discussion as to whether the Council has a right to adopt a quarantine regulation, the matter was post poned until next meeting for action. Mr. Peschau advised the Council that such a measure could be passed and enforced.

A second resolution recommended that some arrangements be made with the sewerage company for disposal of the refuse collected by scavengers. Dr. Nesbitt stated that it is proposed to deposit the refuse at the disposal plant of the Wilmington Sewerage Co., on Burnt Mill Creek. The sewerage company has quoted a rate of $40 a month for this service. Capt. Meares suggested that the Council would have to consider the question of whether the city would take over the scavenger work or let it out by contract. This brought forth an expression from Dr. Nesbitt as to his position on this important question. He asked to be placed on record as being opposed to letting this work out by contract. The people, he said, do not want the work done by contract. Any number of them had besought him to recommend that this work be done by the city, claiming that it has been done in a most satisfactory manner and that unless the city takes it over there is no assurance of any improvement. "And," said Dr. Nesbitt, "the way things have been run for the past two or three weeks indicates that the people have some reason for complaint." Dr. Nesbitt said that personally he did not care to have the extra work on his shoulders, meaning practically double work, but that he considered it his duty as the people almost demand it.

Councilman B. C. Moore offered a resolution to the effect that the city attorney be instructed to draw an ordinance covering the scavenger matter; if it is decided to let work out by contract, to provide for this, and if the city is to take it over to provide for purchase of equipment, etc. While this was not formally adopted it was the sense of the meeting that ordinances bearing upon the matter be presented at the next meeting.

Councilman B. C. Moore said that he was told that more people are connecting with the sewerage system now than at any other time in recent years, indicating that the people had rather connect with the sewerage plant than to purchase the sanitary closet. From the number of closets already sold Capt. Meares estimates that not over 2,500 will be sold and installed in the city.

Referring again to the scavenger work, it was brought out in the discussion that it will cost the city some $8,000 or $10,000 a year and that the revenue will be about the latter figure, on a basis of $4 a year for the estimated 2,500 closets. Councilman B. C. Moore said that the service the city would render would be worth twice the service which would be gotten, if given out by contract.

Next was a resolution recommending the installation of an incinerator. At the last meeting the Mayor was instructed to ascertain the cost of a plant of this character and he stated yesterday that some one had told him that the cost would be $3,000 and another that it could probably be installed for $2,000. He will get further information and report at a later meeting.

Lastly, a resolution recommending the law as to inspection of plumbing be rigidly enforced. The enforcement of the law was discussed, but no action was taken.

Upon motion it was decided to pay the bills for medicine for the indigent poor during the months of June and July. Payment of the bills, amounting to only about $20 or $25 for each month, had been deferred in the hope that the county could be prevailed upon to pay something toward furnishing medicine for the poor of the city who are unable to buy it. The matter of letting a contract for filling prescriptions was brought up and discussed for some time. Councilman B. C. Moore, who is himself a druggist, suggested that the best plan would be to agree to give a druggist who might be selected a certain percent. on all prescriptions filled for the city for indigent poor and that he would be glad to go over the bills himself at the end of each month and see that only 15 per cent. over the actual cost was charged. This suggestion seemed to meet the approval of the Council. Councilman Moore stated also that no druggist can put up prescriptions for 14 cents; that "there is a negro in the wood pile," and he showed the Council where he is.

Dr. Nesbitt reported that the fight against the pestiferous mosquito continues. Two men are engaged now in "oiling" the standtraps, where a great many of the mosquitoes in this city breed. It is a fact recognized by nearly everyone that there have been fewer mosquitoes in Wilmington this year than ever before, due to the effective campaign waged against them. This campaign was begun as the result of the efforts of Dr. Edward Jenner Wood.

Several matters left over from last meeting go over to the next meeting, these being application of Tidewater Power Co., to lay a second track on Castle street, from Front to Sixth; request of Wynnewood Lumber Co., for a road to its plant and water connection; a similar request from Carolina Metal Products Co., and a request for a road through Hilton and better police protection.

An ordinance drawn by the assistant city attorney reading as follows, was adopted:

"That all ordinances heretofore passed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Wilmington from time to time, granting or purporting to grant to the Wilmington Sea Coast Railroad Co., or its successor or successors, or to any railroad, inter-urban road or street railway, electric or otherwise, the right to lay tracks, erect poles, string or run wires or lay conduits over, in, or upon any street or streets of the city, other than those on which such tracks, poles, wires or conduits have already been placed or on or upon which the actual work of construction was begun on or before August 21st, 1911, are hereby repealed."

Mr. Peschau explained that ordinance merely revoked any privilege given the corporation which they have not taken advantage of, and he stated that there would be no objection to the measure. In fact, an official of the Tidewater Power Co. had declared himself in favor of it.

The ordinance relative to operation of street cars in the city and the screen ordinance, both introduced at the last meeting, went over until next week.

The Jacob's Run proposition was discussed briefly, and then referred to Councilman P. Q. Moore and the city engineer to report later. The meeting adjourned shortly after 6 o'clock.

—The meeting of the Wilmington Driving Rssociation Association announced for yesterday was not held, owing to the illness of the president. It is stated that the meeting was for the purpose of receiving the resignation of an official who finds it necessary to resign. It will be held later.

SIGNAL VICTORY IS ACHIEVED

Senator Overman's Appeal to Secretary of Commerce and Labor Avails in Location of New Lightship.

With the closing days of the extra session of Congress, no more gratifying information could come to the commercial and maritime interests here than that contained in a telegram from Senator Lee S. Overman yesterday to Mr. J. A. Taylor, former president of the Chamber of Commerce and still actively identified with that organization, stating that the Lighthouse Board had been overruled by the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, to whom appeal was made, and that the new lightship for the Cape Fear would be placed at the "Knuckle" and not at the location of the present ship as had been at first determined and where it would have been of very little use to ships entering this port.

It will be recalled that the commercial and maritime interests here have been quite active in this behalf and have had the matter up with Senator Overman for several months. The Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, through its chairman, Mr. James Sprunt, and subsequently in the absence of the chairman, through the vice chairman, Capt. John W. Harper, presented the case very strongly to the Washington authorities and went, through Senator Overman, with the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce to the Department of Commerce and Labor itself, after a public hearing at Wilmington at which Mr. Taylor, Vice Chairman Harper, Harbor Master Williams and others presented their case. The result of this persistent and strenuous effort is told in the telegram yesterday to Mr. Taylor as follows:

"Washington, D. C., Aug. 22, 1911.

"Mr. J. A. Taylor, Wilmington, N. C.

"Upon my calling his attention to wording of the act authorizing the appropriation and my appeal to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, he overrules the Lighthouse Board, carries out the act of Congress and orders the new lightship for the Cape Fear placed at the Knuckle where the old one was. LEE S. OVERMAN."

The announcement of the successful effort of Senator Overman in meeting the unanimous requirements of the local shipping interests will be received with much pleasure here. It is stated that the partial dismasting and narrow escape of the schooner Lottie R. Russell from total loss off this coast Sunday morning was due directly to the position of the present lightship where the Lighthouse Board proposed to put the new one, and the victory is a signal achievement for the port of Wilmington.

The following special telegram was received last night by the Star from its Washington correspondent:

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—The new lightship will be stationed at the "Knuckle" on Fryingpan Shoals, and not several miles out from the Cape Fear bar. This information was contained in a letter which Senator Overman received from Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel this afternoon. The citizens of Wilmington and Senator Overman have won and the Lighthouse Board have lost their fight.

Mr. Nagel sent an inspector to Wilmington, who made a report recommending that the vessel be placed some 14 miles from the bar. Senator Overman insisted that the bill as passed by both houses of Congress specifically stated that the ship should be located at the Knuckle. After reading the law, Mr. Nagel wrote Senator Overman saying that the vessel will be placed at the "Knuckle." Secretary Nagel's letter is as follows:

"I have read the report of the Commissioner of Lighthouses in the matter of the lightship at Fryingpan Shoals. With the exception of the effect to be given to the law under which the appropriation for the building of the lightship was expended, I approve the recommendation in every respect.

"It seems plain to me that within so short a distance there should be only one lightship; also that this lightship ought to be placed at the outer shoals where it now is and that the situation at Fryingpan shoals will be amply met by a gas buoy of the approved type. The question for my determination, therefore, is: What effect shall be given the language of the appropriation which provides for a lightship on the Knuckle of Fryingpan Shoals to be located at the place where the old lightship was located? Inasmuch as the further provision enacted at that time that hereafter no lightship shall be removed from the place designated for its station in the act authorizing its construction and be stationed elsewhere except upon express authority of Congress, has been repealed, I think the Bureau of Lighthouses may have authority to change the position of the new lightship, notwithstanding the provision of the law making appropriation for it. But this is a question. The language is explicit that the lightship shall be located at a particular point. In my judgment, an executive department should not exercise a doubtful authority to override the express provision of a legislative act and in view of the pointed language in this case, I am unwilling to assume that authority. In my opinion, the lightship must be placed at the point for which it was designated in the appropriation. To repeat, I have no question that such designation would not be proper if the Bureau had a free hand, considering the wants of the whole service, and the relative shortage of ships. But the responsibility is not ours and until Congress decides otherwise, or at least for the present, this particular ship ought to go to Fryingpan Shoals."

H. E. C. B.

Respected Resident Passes

One of Wilmington's most highly respected colored residents passed away this week in the person of Millie Heflin, at her residnce, No. 418 South Seventh street. She was one of the oldest colored residents of the city, having been born and reared in Wilmington, being well liked by both white and colored. Her funeral will take place at St. Luke's church, of which she was one of the most devoted members and at the time of her death was one of its oldest officers. The hour of the funeral will be given later.

POLICE THINK HIM ROBBER

Joe Martin, Colored, Arrested Yesterday on Market Street—Carried Pistol and Tried to Sell Tobacco

Driving a borrowed huckster's cart, in the fish box of which were concealed four boxes of chewing tobacco, and with a stolen Smith & Wesson revolver in his hip pocket, Joe Martin, colored, was arrested on Market street yesterday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock by Hall Officer Joseph S. Lane on a warrant charging him with larceny, and in his person the police believe they now have behind the bars one of the persons responsible for many of the robberies that have occurred in the city for the past few months.

Yesterday afternoon the police received a telephone message from the Partin Grocery Company, 902 Market street, that a negro had entered their store and offered to sell some boxes of tobacco. They stated that on their refusal to purchase the negro went on up Market street in an eastwardly direction. Officer Lane took the patrol wagon and hurried to the scene. He found the negro and his cart a distance farther on from where the message had come. He came upon Martin before the latter was aware of his presence, but when he placed him under arrest the negro reached around to his hip pocket, as if to draw a gun. The officer grabbed his arm and held him, while he searched his pockets. In the hip pocket he found a nickle plated 32-calibre Smith & Wesson revolver, which was afterwards identified as the pistol that was stolen from Mr. S. B. Bryant, who keeps a store in the northern section of the city, some time ago. The tobacco was found concealed in the fish box of the cart. Martin was taken to the police station, and upon being searched a large number of cigarettes, such as have been stolen from different stores lately, were found in his pocket. He was placed in a cell pending further developments in his case, with an added charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

The police immediately instituted an investigation to ascertain the owner of the huckster's cart which the negro had been driving. It was found that it belonged to Bud Wade, colored, and from his statements it appears that he was approached by a negro who borrowed the cart from him with the understanding that he would return it to him at a certain point later in the afternoon. The negro, he said, was not Martin, the man in possession of the cart when arrested.

It is the theory of the police that Martin had a confederate and that this man made arrangements to borrow the cart, turning it over to Martin to enable him to dispose of the tobacco. They are making a thorough search for this man and hope soon to have him in a cell with the other.

The tobacco found in the cart was in four packages, and was consigned from Butler Bros., Reidsville, N. C., to W. H. Wallace & Co., of this city. It is believed that the negro stole the tobacco from the Atlantic Coast Line freight yards. Police officials notified the Atlantic Coast Line authorities and they will investigate to see if they are short any goods.

The police authorities are deeply gratified that the Partin Grocery Co., called them up and notified them of the incident, for it was thereby that they were enabled to make the arrest. They declare that co-opration such as this on the part of the public would enable them to quickly stamp out the outbreak of robberies that has reigned unchecked for several months.

Tobacco and cigarettes, the police declare, have been chief among the missing articles of the stores that have been entered recently, and they think they will have little trouble in making out a strong case against Martin.

A NEAR-FIGHT

Magistrate Bornemann and Mr. R. E. Blake Have Some Words.

Justice G. W. Bornemann and Mr. R. E. Blake came near fisticuffs yesterday afternoon following an argument about a case which the magistrate had decided against Mr. Blake. The case involved was a suit brought by the Southard Robinson Company, of New York, for the recovery of $57.68 alleged to be due them by Mr. Blake. After a hearing the arguments Justice Bornemann gave judgment for the plaintiffs, whereupon Mr Blake is alleged to have told him that he had decided the matter wrongly. The justice is said to have retorted that Mr Blake had redress in the higher courts if he felt that way about it. One word brought on another and Mr. Bornemann finally ordered Mr. Blake out of his office. In return Mr. Blake, it is said, invited the justice to meet him on the outside, which Mr Bornemann declined to do. Mr. Blake took an appeal to the Superior Court.

INTEREST IN LAND ATTACHED.

Action Brought Against H. M. Bowden in Superior Court

Attachment proceedings were instituted in Superior Court yesterday by Miss Hattie M. Mahn and Mrs. Flora M. Kendall against H. M. Bowden, formerly of Wilmington, but whose present address is unknown. It is set forth in the affidavit that the defendant "is inbetted to the plaintiffs in the sum of $1,512.30 with interest from September 15th, 1904, at 8 per cent., being the balance due on a note for $1,300 borrowed money given by the defendant to one M. M. Mahn, guardian of these plaintiffs, on the 1st day of July, 1891, and said amount being the balance due thereon" The papers were sent over to the Sheriff's office and at 11 o'clock Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox attached and levied upon the interest of H. M. Bowden in 100 acres of land on the Sound, same being on west side of a road known as Oceanic avenue.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Nonie F. King and Mrs. Katie B. Corbett to Henry C. Liley, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Corbett, 50 feet south of Wynnewood street, 100x300 feet in size; Ann M. Huggins to Ella F. Gilchrist, for $100 and other considerations, lot in block 158, at Seventh and Market streets, 39x66 feet in size.

THAT BIG WHITE BUILDING

YOUR MONEY

Deposited with this strong, old Savings Bank at any time between now and SEPTEMBER 2nd will receive FOUR MONTHS' INTEREST on January 1st. The small depositor receives that same careful attention here as is shown the larger ones. Your money deposited with us earns four per cent. interest, compounded quarterly.

OLD AND STRONG

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

CORNER FRONT & PRINCESS

4 PER CENT

OUR GROWTH---

Resources, August 1st, 1911 . . . . $2,030,920.53
Resources, August 1st, 1910 . . . . $1,852,839.45
Gain during past year . . . . . $ 178,081.08

REASONS—

Largest Capital and Surplus and Resources.
The OLDEST bank in Wilmington.
The LARGEST savings institution in the State.
A record of 23 years for COURTESY and FAIR DEALING.
Modern system and approved methods.

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DROWNING CAUSED DEATH

This Verdict of Coroner's Jury Summoned to Inquiry Into Death of Charles Harrelson—Body to Rocky Point

After viewing the remains of Charles Harrelson, the coroner's jury empanneled to investigate the death, met in the grand jury room of the Court House yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, heard the testimony of several witnesses and returned a verdict that Harrelson came to his death by drowning in the clinker pit at the coal chute of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

Only three witnesses were examined, these being Sergeant E. J. Grimsley, of the police department, Mr. R. M. Russ, who is employed at the coal chute, and Thomas James, colored, also an employe at the coal chute.

Thomas was called first. He testified that he heard a noise, as if someone were strangling, about 11:30 Monday night and that he took his lantern and went to the clinker pit. He saw a hat floating on the water and ran back and told Mr. Russ that he believed someone had drowned in the pit. Mr. Russ went back with him and they took the hat from the water and examined it. They then took a long handled rake used at the pit and felt around in the water. Thomas soon felt something and he brought the body to the surface. Mr. Russ helped him get it out of the water and they tried to resuscitate Harrelson, rolling him over a bank of cinders and working his arms for some time. Failing in their effort, Thomas stayed with the body while Mr. Russ called up the train dispatcher and told what had happened, also asking him to notify the coroner.

Mr. Russ testified practically as Thomas had. He stated that the coroner came out and viewed the body, and later turned it over to the yard engine and crew. It was carried to the A. C. L. yard on the engine and then turned over to the undertaker to be prepared for burial.

Sergeant E. J. Grimsley told of going out with Dr. Bell, the coroner. His testimony from the time he arrived until the body was taken to the yard agreed with the statements of the other witnesses.

It took the jury only a few moments to reach their decision. Those composing it were: Messrs. L. LeGwin, foreman; M. L. Saunders, J. D. Robbins, C. S. Southerland, W. A. McGowan and J. H. Mitchell, the latter secretary.

Yesterday morning on the streets some rumors of foul play in connections with Harrelson's death were in circulation, but no evidence in support of this was brought out at the inquest. It was the concensus of opinion among the jurors that Harrelson walked into the pit and was unable to get out, as the water was nearly 7 feet deep. Harrelson was about 25 years of age and is survived by a wife and child.

The body was taken to Rocky Point, Harrelson's home, yesterday on the evening train, and will be interred there. Harrelson's father who came down yesterday, accompanied it back.

Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c. at R. R. Bellamy.

LIEUT. WHITTIER DIED SUNDAY

Result of Injuries Inflicted Saturday Night by Thugs in Boston—Formerly of Revenue Cutter Seminole Staff.

Friends in this city have learned with deep regret of the death of Lieut. A. W. Whittier, formerly an executive officer of the revenue cutter Seminole at this port, who died in Boston, Mass., Sunday as the result of injuries received Saturday night in that city when he was set upon and beaten by thugs. Lieut. Whittier and his wife were popular with a wide circle of friends here and at Newbern, where they lived before coming here. The following is the Associated Press dispatch sent out Sunday night about his death and of the attack by thugs:

"Lieut. A. W. Whittier, of the revenue cutter Androscoggin, died at the Relief Hospital today from injuries received at the hands of thugs last night. Lieut. Whittier, with another officer of his ship and two friends, were returning to their vessel from the theatre and were set upon and beaten to unconsciousness while passing through North street. A small crowd gathered, but the assailants escaped.

"Lieut. Whittier did not recover consciousness and was taken to the relief station, where he was operated upon early today and a blood clot removed from his brain. A widow and one child survive.

"Up to a late hour tonight the police had secured little information about the assault.

"All of the party were struck down from behind with no opportunity for self-defense. Walking with Whittier was Lieut. Horace Roach, chief engineer of the Androscoggin. Behind were George H. Farwell and Harry E. Gleason, both of Boston.

"The murder adds one more to several of like nature which have occurred in the North End during the past few years, the victims being in almost every case connected with some department of the government. It is believed that slugshots or clubs were used in the assault. Lieut. Whittier had a high reputation in the service for character and ability."

During the absence of Capt. Broadfoot, then commanding, Lieut. Whittier was then placed in command of the revenue cutter and made a splendid man in this position as well as in his usual position. He was very popular with the men on the vessel and when announcement was made that he had been transferred the men asked that they be allowed to form ranks on the ship's deck when the officer left, this showing his popularity among them.

His father is master of a schooner which has visited this port a number of times and several times during Lieut. Whittier's residence here. Many friends in Wilmington will tenderly sympathize with the bereaved.

EXCURSION FROM COLUMBIA.

Seven Hundred and Fifteen Visitors From South Carolina Capital.

Knight's excursion from Columbia, S. C., and intermediate points reached the city yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, bringing 715 passengers, a large proportion of whom were colored. The excursion will return this evening at 8 o'clock, giving one whole day, a night and an afternoon in the city and at the seashore resorts. The excursion is managed by Thos. H. Knight, the well known colored excursion manager, and the crowds appeared to be very quiet and orderly.

PACKED HOUSES GREET TOTS.

Standing Room at Premium at Crystal Palace Last Night.

Packed houses greeted both performances of the operetta, "Little Red Riding Hood," at the Crystal Palace last evening, and in fact, the standing room was at a premium for the 8 o'clock performance. The work of the little performers was even better than on the previous evening and the many charming features of the playlet brought much applause from the delighted audiences. Miss Hazel Langenberg, a talented young violinist, of Peoria, Ill., again charmed her hearers with several delightful violin solos.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a matinee performance. It was announced last night that the remaining performances would be held at the Academy of Music, but upon reconsideration it has been decided to give them in the Crystal Palace. An 8 and 9 P. M., two other performances will be given, probably the last. In addition to the violin solos by Miss Langenberg, Mrs. Mattie Longfellow will render several vocal selections. It is expected that the charming little playlet will be seen by more packed houses today and tonight.

Madam Eldon

Scientific Palmist and Fortune Teller

Can be consulted on all affairs of life, whether it be the reading of the character and talents or concerning business and personal difficulties.

SHE WILL ADVISE YOU ON EVERYTHING OF INTEREST TO YOU.

From your hand Madam Eldon will make known such valuable information and advice, which, if heeded, will make you realize marked degrees of success.

The science of palmistry is not complex, nor are its laws difficult of comprehension. They depend upon the quality of the mental faculties, the peculiar physiological construction of the mind. The hand is man's most valuable servant. It is the means of performance or execution of the duties of life in which he is engaged. Between the hand and the subconscious mind there exists, through the nerves, a perfect system of communication, rendering the hand one of the greatest nerve centers of the human body. Therefore, every action of the brain, and every sensation experienced sets in action some series of nerves that would impress certain markings or lines on the hand, by means of which Madam Eldon is able to interpret the many valuable information about one's character, talents, and the story of your life is like reading an open book. Will remain in Wilmington but a few days more. Corner Third and Princess, Upsairs.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Minnie Moore, of Savannah, Ga., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Thompson, 217 Market street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cohen, of Hampstead, L. I., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Rosemann, on Wrightsville Beach.

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Miss Sophie Taylor, of Oxford, is spending some time on Wrightsville Beach, a guest at the Parsley Cottage.

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Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of Wrightsville Beach, has gone to the mountains of North Carolina, where he will spend ten days.

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Mr. George Howard, of Tarboro, is the guest of his friend, Mr. Will Shaw, at his parents' cottage on Wrightsville Beach.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. Paul S. Taylor, of Wilmington, is visiting his mother, Mrs. B. R. Taylor, on Cool Spring street."

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daniel have returned to the city after a pleasant stay at Wrightsville Beach, where they were guests at the Parsley cottage.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Piner returned to their home in Columbia, S. C., Sunday after spending ten days with Mr. Piner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Piner.

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Miss Nellie Callahan returned to her home at Red Springs yesterday after a delightful visit to relatives and friends. She was accompanied home by Miss Isabelle Gaylor, who will be her guest for some time.

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Rev. J. W. Moore, of Hendersonville, who for four years has served the First Methodist Church of that place as pastor, will preach at Grace M. E. Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, he having accepted an invitation to fill the pastor's pulpit on that day.

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Members of Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., are reminded of the meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory, at which time crosses of honor will be presented. Those who are to receive crosses are asked to be present, or, if they cannot be present, to have someone there to receive the cross for them.

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As guests of Capt. J. W. Harper, owner and master of the steamer Wilmington, officers, teachers and pupils of Immanuel Presbyterian Sunday School had a delightful outing at Carolina Beach yesterday. Some went down on the morning boat and spent the day, while others went down in the afternoon. All returned to the city late in the afternoon.

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Mrs. Lucille A. Williams and her attractive little daughter, Virginia Stone, who were expected to be among the Birmingham colony at the beach this Summer, and who, with her sisters, Misses Corinne and Fanchon Armstrong, have been popular guests at the Seashore for the past three seasons, are spending the Summer in Kansas City and Excelsior Springs, Mo., with Judge Stone and his family.

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Miss Mary Baldwin Mitchell, of the faculty of the State Normal and Industrial College, Greensboro, N. C., and Miss Lydia Yates, of the Wilmington Public Schools, have returned from Ithica, N. Y., where during the Summer they took special post graduate work at Cornell University, the former in Latin and the last named in English. Both have been cordially welcomed home by their hosts of friends.

MOVEMENT FOR GREATER TRADE

Trade Extension Association Attracting Customers to the City.

With the official career of the Wilmington Trade Extension Association less than two weeks old, a thorough organization of the members has been perfected, fares refunded to customers from various places in North and South Carolina, who did their trading with the members in Wilmington, and advertising circulated throughout the large territory.

The trade extension movement and material advantages offered merchants and retail customers is already attracting considerable interest and prospects for the future are exceedingly bright. Articles carrying full details of the free fare proposition will appear in a number of the weekly and daily papers throughout the large territory within the next few days and, by this means, and the sending out of thousands of advertising folders by the members of the organization and the secretary, the people in the smaller towns and country will become acquainted with the proposition. It is surprising how fast the movement is going forward. The secretary stated yesterday that one customer during the past week came to Wilmington to do his trading from as great a distance as Page's Mill, S. C., which is some 235 miles both ways. Numbers of inquiries have been received requesting information and the people in this section of the two States covered by the Wilmington Association more thoroughly recognize the advantages and inducements offered by the nearby city, instead of sending their orders to Northern houses, than ever before. By the first of next week literature of every description explaining the free fare proposition will be broadcasted over territory. Most favorable comment as to the motives of the trade extension movement has been received from many sources.

LOTTIE RUSSELL DISCHARGING.

Schooner, Which Was Disabled at Sea, Brings Cargo of Salt.

Lying at the wharves and warehouses of Mr. John W. Brooks, the well known wholesale grocer, yesterday was the schooner Lottie R. Russell, which was towed into port Monday after having been partially dismasted off the Cape Fear bar. Except for her rigging, the vessel was entirely uninjured and she has begun discharging her cargo of something like 600 tons of salt at the extensive warehouses of Mr. Brooks, which occupy more than half a block of the most valuable water front below Market street. Members of the crew are at work repairing the rigging of the ship while the tons of salt are being brought over the sides of the vessel and placed in the warehouses.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Congested Docket Yesterday — Dog Owners in Court

Many and varied must be the dogs who were the innocent cause of a record-breaking congestion in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, for out of a total of 47 cases tried 19 of them originated in violations of the city ordinance which prescribes that owners of canines of all ages, colors and sizes shall adorn them with a small brass tag, for which adornment said owners shall contribute to the municipal exechequer sums ranging from $1 up each.

A number of the canines whose owners were haled into court yesterday had already been decorated with the necessary brass insignia, and in these cases the defendants were dismissed. They were J. A. Matthews and Geo. Schutte, white, and Thomas Miller, Thos. Edwards, Sip. Mallette, Sallie Huggins, Henry Niel, Henry Bell and Fannie Leach, nol pros with leave were taken in the following cases: George Murphy, Anna Allen, John Kohlken, Fred Davis, Sarah Newkirk and Samuel Lamont. Judgment in the case against J. H. Lewis, white, was reserved. James Whitfield, Sadie Nixon and Frank Kindall, were taxed with the costs and judgment was suspended.

In the case charging W. H. Sneeden, white, and Jas. Hooper, colored, with an affray, Mr. Sneeden was found to be guilty and was taxed the costs. Hooper was dismissed. Tom Perry, Joe Walker and John Lane were charged with gambling. The charge could not be proven and the cases were dismissed. George Clark, colored, paid $5 and the costs for drunk and disorderly demeanor. James Ellington, who asaulted his wife with a bed slat, went to the roads for a period of 12 months. City Attorney Peschau instructed Ellington's wife to take off her wig in court. This she did and the scar on her head was sufficient evidence to convict the negro. He hit her with a bed slat one morning several weeks ago at their home.

Frank Jackson, colored, for an assault on a female, received a sentence of three months on the roads.

The case against Mr. J. O. Brock, charged with violating the sidewalk ordinance, was continued until today. It is likely that a nol pros will be taken in this case as Mr. Brock has removed the sign which constituted the offense. He was represented by Woodus Kellum, Esq.

About a half dozen ordinary drunks completed the docket yesterday.

ASSAULT CASE POSTPONED

Trouble Between Power Company Men to Be Threshed out Later.

The case against W. C. Baird, recently a conductor for the Tidewater Power Company, who is charged with an assault upon Mr. Kenneth McKenzie, as inspector for the company, was called for trial yesterday at noon in Justice Bornemann's court, but on request of counsel for the prosecution, a continuance was granted until next Tuesday. Mr. McKenzie alleges that the defendant enticed him behind the water tank at Lumina and assaulted him. In addition to the charge of assault, a peace warrant was also issued against Mr Baird yesterday.

Mr. McKenzie is represented by Hon John D. Bellamy, who asked for a continuance in order that the prosecution may have time to produce a witness by which they expect to prove that a conspiracy was planned.

Walter P. Gafford, Esq., counsel for the defendant, opposed this contending that simple assault was the only charge against his client, and that a continuance could only be granted after an affidavit had been filed setting forth what the prosecution expected to prove by the missing witness. Mr. Bellamy refused to do this. After considering the matter Justice Bornemann granted a continuance until next Tuesday at 3 P. M.

Attorney Gafford argued that if Justice Bornemann made the prosecution such a marked concession he should also make the defendant one, and asked that his client be allowed to go on his own recognizance However, Justice Bornemann required the defendant to give $50 bond, with his brother as surety.

GIVES UP MANAGEMENT.

Dr. J. J. Crow Relinquishes Contract to Conduct County Fair.

Announcement was made a few days ago that Dr. J. J. Crow, manager of the Crow Optical Company, had signed a contract with the Wilmington Driving Association, to have charge of the management of a fair to be given by the Association on its grounds just east of the city the week beginning October 9th. Dr. Crow stated last night that he had relinquished his contract and would not have anything further to do with the enterprise. He gave as his reason that certain people were working against the proposition for selfish ends and that without the heartiest co-operation all around it would be folly to attempt a fair on the elaborate scale he had planned for the event. He does not think that a fair will be given at all this year. He stated that he is really glad of the opportunity to give up the contract as the Crow Optical Co., of which he is the active head, needs all his time and attention, and that he entered into the contract only after earnest solicitations of the stockholders in the association. To those who promised him their hearty support, moral and financial, he desires to return his sincere thanks and express his gratification.

To Travel for Shoe Factory.

Mr. D. N. Blue, a well-known and popular young man of this city, left yesterday morning for Winston-Salem to become a traveling salesman for the Jenkins Shoe Company, manufacturers. That company is doing a large business and travels men in several States. Mr. Blue is to travel in Arkansas and will leave Winston-Salem in a few days for that State For the last few years he has held a position with the Wynnewood Lumber Company, of this city.

They Both Need Them.

New York has shipped 25,000 Bibles to San Francisco. Nobody in New York has any use for Bibles.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Slices Boiled Egg Evenly.

An implement has been invented for slicing a boiled egg evenly—a more difficult task than generally is supposed.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. A. E. Lynch, of Florence, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

Mr. S. T. Meares, of Clarkton, arrived last night and is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. W. O. McKeithan, of Bolivia was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy of Atkinson, N. C., was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. J. W. Norwood and Mrs. G. A. Norwood, Jr., of Greenville, S. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Miss Hattie Taylor left last night for New York to purchase her Fall stock of millinery. She will be assisted by Mrs. H. Weil.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McNair, Jr., and nurse, of Laurinburg, Jas. A. Jones, of Laurinburg, and John W. Ward, of Rowland.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were G. W. Allison and F. Hutchinson, Charlotte; H. L. Lyon, Whiteville; R. J. Walker, Charlotte; O. A. Betts, Warsaw; H. A. Brown, Newbern; Mrs. J. H. Bell, Pollocksville, and Mrs. W. H. Farley, Norfolk.

—Among yesterday's arrivals were J. C. Wallace, Marion, S. C.; Henry E. Faiwon, Clinton; J. P. Council, Wananish; E. M. Dewey, Whiteville.

—Mrs. T. C. Johnson, of Lumberton, and Miss Lucie B. Powell, of Whiteville, were among yesterday's guests at The Orton.

—Many friends will be delighted to know that Louis J. Poisson, Esq., is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, which caused him to be confined at his home for several weeks. He was down town yesterday for the second time since the attack and was most pleasantly greeted by his many friends, who sincerely hope that it will not be long until he has regained his health and strength.

PEANUT MILL CLEANERS

Meet in Norfolk for Mutual Agreement—Better Conditions.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 22.—Peanut mill cleaners from Eastern Virginia and North Carolina met here today and placed themselves on record in protective matters, including the better cleaning of peanuts by the grower before delivery and a reduction in brokerage conditions on foreign market sales of from 2 1-2 to 1 1-2 per cent on net receipts.

Governmental officials were in attendance to seek full co-operation in the matter of cleaner peanuts from the farm, the demand being that the farmers worked harder than heretofore for an amelioration of worms, dirt and other foreign matter in the original bagging of peanuts.

TO ATTEMPT LONG SWIM

J. T. Harper Will Try to Swim from St. Louis to New Orleans

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—J. T. Harper, of Atlanta, is now in training for a novel long-distance swim. He has announced that late this month he will leave St. Louis in an attempt to swim down the Mississippi from this city to New Orleans. The conditions are that he is to swim twelve hours and rest the same length of time each twenty-four hours required for the performance.

Harper has some reputation as a swimmer in Baltimore, where he formerly lived. Last year while abroad he tried to swim the English Channel, but was pulled out exhausted before he had covered half the distance.

REORGANIZING STANDARD

Provide for Tractional Shares of Stock in 33 Subsidiaries

New York, Aug. 22.—Arrangements are being made, it was said today, in the re-organization of the Standard Oil Company to provide for holders of tractional shares of stock in the Standard's thirty-three subsidiary companies. While no definite plans have been publicly formulated it is reported that dividends will be so arranged as to avoid inconvenience to small shareholders.

The earnings of the corporation continue at the rate of more than $80,000,000 a year. Attorneys of the company are now engaged in the task of reorganizing its constituent companies, and election of officers and directors.

TEXANS AT GATES' FUNERAL

Business Places at Port Arthur to Close for Half Day

Beaumont, Texas, Aug. 22.—More than 100 Texans, including many from this city, Port Arthur, Houston, Galveston and San Antonio, are in New York city to attend the funeral of John W. Gates tomorrow. In the party are some of the most prominent business men of the State.

While the funeral is being held in New York from the Plaza Hotel, there will be held memorial services in Port Arthur, participated in by the Elks Lodge.

All places of business in Port Arthur will close for half a day and all flags in the city will fly at half mast.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS SILENT

Won't Discuss Laying Off of Several Thousand Employes

New York, Aug. 22.—Officials of the Union and Southern Pacific railways declined today to talk of the dropping of several thousand men from the pay roll of the roads.

Officials of the Northern Pacific state they will not drop any of their employes.

An official of the Rock Island said his company was not figuring on dropping any men and he saw no reason why the road should do so.

Thirty Years Together

Thirty years of association—think of it. How the merit of a good thing stands out in that time—or the worthlessness of a bad one. So there's no guess work in this evidence of Thos. Ariss, Concord, Mich., who writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for 30 years, and its the best cough and cold cure I ever used." Once it finds entrance in a home you can't pry it out. Many families have used it forty years. It's the most infallible throat and lung medicine on earth. Unequalled for lagrippe, asthma, hay-fever, croup, quinsy or sore lungs. Price 50c., $1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The quotations on crude turpentine were erroneously given in yesterday's Star at $5.40 for dip and virgin, when it should have appeared $4.50, as quoted on the local market.

FROZEN ON PIKE'S PEAK

Dallas, Texas, Couple Found on Summit by Boy Yesterday.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 22.—W. A. Skinner and wife, of Dallas, Texas, were frozen to death near the summit of Pike's Peak this morning. Their bodies almost covered with snow, were found side by side, by a boy walking down the peak this afternoon.

Skinner and his wife started to walk to the top of the peak early yesterday afternoon and stopped at the office of the Pike's Peak News, about three miles above the half-way house to register. At that itme Mr. Skinner, who is about 55 years old, doubted their ability to reach the top of the mountain. Mrs. Skinner, who was about ten years younger than her husband, is reported to have made the remark: "I am from Texas, and they are not going to say when I get back that I could not climb Pike's Peak."

The couple were last seen about 4 o'clock by the crew of the downward bound cog road train. At that time Mr. Skinner repeated his doubts to some of the passengers. But Mrs. Skinner again insisted on trying to reach the summit.

At 7 o'clock last night a severe snow storm, which covered the entire peak to a depth of one foot on the level, accompanied by a 50-mile wind broke on the peak. From the positions of the bodies when found, it is believed the couple sought for shelter in the lee of a huge boulder, a short distance from the track. Both wore very light clothing.

Mr. and Mrs. Skinner are understood here to have been employed in the printing department of a Dallas newspaper.

A letter was found in Skinner's pocket dated Dallas, August 17th, from J. H. Choice, in which are these words: "I hope you are having the time of your life in Colorado. I am sending you an overcoat as per your request. I hope you don't freeze to death on Pike's Peak."

THEIR FINAL QUARREL.

She Said It Was Irrevocable, but He Knew Better.

It was all off. They had quarreled, finally and irrevocably. It doesn't matter now what it was about. The chances are that in their anger neither remembered anything except that he had disappointed her in some awful, unforgivable way and she had seized the diamond engagement ring from a dainty, slender finger and thrust it upon him with a gesture of infinite scorn.

For an instant he held the circlet in his hand ruefully. For another instant he paced the porch, hands in his pockets, head low, his voice quivering with emotion as he pleaded. Suddenly he stopped in front of her.

"That's final, is it?" he inquired.

"Final," she replied icily. "No man with a spark of"—

"All right!" he snapped. "This thing's no use to me, then."

His right arm shot out like the arm of a ball pitcher, and a second later the finkle-finkle of metal on the concrete walk half a block away told her he had thrown the ring away.

"Oh!" she cried, and there was sudden anguish in her heart, "I didn't mean it! We must find it—at once."

"I don't care for it," he said stubbornly. "Life has mighty little now to make"—

"Silly!" she cried. "Help me—immediately."

He couldn't let her go alone, with night coming on, so, after proper reluctance, he followed. In the eagerness of searching all her anger melted. It took a long time, but finally he stooped quickly and exclaiming, "Here it is!" held up the diamond ring.

What happened in the next hour is nobody's business except their own. The human, masculine part of the story was disclosed to his bosom friend late that night in the quiet of their room.

"Had it in my pocket all the time," he said. "Threw a quarter down the street. And, dad bling it, I didn't find it either!"

But it did the work.—Kansas City Times.

The Constable's Complaint.

A police constable was found on the roadside in an insensible condition and apparently delirious, for he muttered incessantly, "I ate one too." "He has evidently been poisoned," said the doctor as he listened to the rambling sentence. "I'll try the stomach pump on him." This instrument brought the dazed constable to his senses, and he kicked the pump to the other end of the room. "What do you mean by this?" he cried. "I thought you were poisoned!" exclaimed the doctor. "You kept on saying 'I ate one too.'" "You are a lot of idiots!" grunted the constable wrathfully. "That's the number of the car that knocked me over—I 812!"—London Mail.

Not Hard to Die Rich.

"In fact, it is inconceivable what sums may be collected by starving only, and how easy it is for a man to die rich, if he will but be content to live miserable."—Henry Fielding.

All Buried at Public Expense.

There is at least one country in the world where it costs nothing to die. In some of the cantons of Switzerland all the dead, rich as well as poor, are buried at the public expense.

Fine Collection Got Together.

All the animals, plants, minerals, and precious stones mentioned in the Bible are found in a special collection, shown at the Natural History museum, South Kensington, London, England.

..Theatrical..

During the past several weeks the Bijou has presented some stirring war films of both the struggle between the States, known as the Civil War, and of the Revolutionary period, when patriots like Cornelius Harnett were to the fore. Today the Bijou will present another war drama, but it will be entirely different from any hitherto offered. It will give one a glimpse of the Boer war. A beautiful story will be told and during its progress will be presented many incidents of the great strife between the British and the Boers, with a thrilling battlefield scene, during which a young English officer is shot. It is around this young officer, who previously married a poor girl, to be disowned by his father, that the plot hinges, and the story is worked out to a happy solution by a little child, who unites a loving mother and a stern grandfather. The scenes shown of England and of the Boer country are not only interesting, but decidedly picturesque. Another great Western photo-play is also on today's programme. In "The Ranchman's Son" will be flashed some of the most thrilling scenes ever portrayed on the giant Bijou screen. The plot besides being stirring, with plenty of snappy action, is new, decidedly so, and the rescue at the jail is not only graphically displayed, but something novel. The film teaches a great lesson of the lash of a person's conscience. The other films for today are also capital ones, while the music will be of the freshest and brightest type, aweil musical comedy hits figuring delightfully in the latter part.

Getting Into Moral Debt.

Philip D. Armour, millionaire and philanthropist, continually warned young men against getting into debt. He loved free men and despised slaves. When asked if he admired a certain brilliant orator he said: "He may have a superb voice and fine presence, but can't you hear the rattle of his chain? That man is not free. He is under moral obligations that demoralize him. He is not speaking the deepest thing in his soul, and I haven't time to hear any slave talk. I want a man to be just as free as I am."

On another occasion he said: "Don't get into debt—I mean moral debt. It is bad enough to get into debt financially. There goes a young man who is mortgaged. That young man is legging it along with a debt, and it will take twice as much power to get him along as the man without a debt. There are other debts and obligations that are embarrassing in their entanglements. Don't get into debt morally, my boy; don't get into debt so that you may not exercise your freedom to its limits."

Hedging.

"Bad luck to you, Dugan," says Doyle. "Good luck to you, Doyle," says Dugan, "and may neither one of us be right."

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Financial and Commercial

SLIGHT ADVANCE IN COTTON

Range of About Ten Points on Active New Crop Months—August Was Relatively Firm—Market Closed Steady.

New York, Aug. 22.—It was a very quiet day in the cotton market and prices fluctuated irregularly within a range of about 20 points on active new crop months. August was relatively firm, probably as a result of covering by belated shorts, and closed 10 points net higher, while new crop positions were net unchanged to two points higher, with the final tone of the market steady.

The opening was steady at a decline of 2@6 points, and during the first few minutes active positions sold from 5 to 8 points under the closing figures of last night under scattering liquidation, local bear pressure and selling by leading trade interests, which was supposed to be in the way of hedges, owing to the increased new crop movement. Lower Liverpool cables than expected, less favorable English labor advices and predictions for lower temperatures and showers in the Southwest encouraged the early selling, but offerings did not become general and when it was seen that the official Western belt forecast confirming the private predictions for better weather, was not stimulating, more aggressive offerings, prices steady upon covering. The weekly report of the weather bureau seemed to be regarded a shade bullish, if anything, and the market reached the best point of the day during the afternoon, when its general tone was probably helped to some extent by the firmness of August, which seemed to result from a very few buying orders in the absence of important offerings. That position closed at the best of the day, and later months were within a point of the top.

The action of the market suggested that existing accounts were being evened up and that fresh business was being restricted by the approach of the Government condition report regarding which the trade evidently feels considerable uncertainty, owing to the conflicting character of private crop accounts.

Receipts today were 17,072 against 9,341 last week, and 12,394 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,153 bales, against 11,874 bales last year, and at Houston, 8,188 bales against 5,728 bales last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 12.60; middling gulf, 12.85; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	12.25	12.35	12.18	12.39
September	.....	11.32	11.25	11.33
October	11.20	11.30	11.20	11.29
November	11.25	11.25	11.25	11.27
December	11.35	11.38	11.28	11.37
January	11.25	11.32	11.23	11.31
March	11.35	11.42	11.31	11.41
May	11.39	11.49	11.45	11.49
July	.....	.....	.....	11.50

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts 13,925; gross receipts 13,925; sales 2,295; stock 38,558; Great Britain, 7,181; continent 50.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 15-16; net receipts 1,153; gross receipts 1,153, against 8 bales last year; sales 1,427; stock 24,926.

Mobile—Nominal, 11½; no sales; net receipts 15; gross receipts 15; stock 400.

Savannah—Steady, 11 15-16; net receipts 1,697; gross receipts 1,697; sales 2,780; stock 11,801; coastwise 226.

Charleston—Nominal; stock 3,493.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 101.

Norfolk—Steady, 12¼; net receipts 237; gross receipts 237; sales 10; stock 2,122; coastwise 48.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¾; stock 214.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts 4,705; stock 83,434; coastwise 1,127.

Boston—Quiet, 1,290; stock 6,449.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.85; gross receipts 125; stock 946.

Total today at all ports—Net 11,027; Great Britain 7,181; continent 50; stock 172,486.

Consolidated at all ports—Net 45,122; Great Britain 7,181; France 2,564; continent 29,650.

Total since Sept. 1 at all ports—Net 8,593,507; Great Britain 3,275,324; France 903,818; continent 3,092,818; Japan 148,972; Mexico 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12; net receipts 8,188; gross receipts, 8,188; shipments, 7,769; sales 6,067; stock 28,678.

Augusta—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts 132; gross receipts 132; shipments 50; sales 53; stock 1,259.

Memphis—Nominal, 12; net receipts 10; gross receipts 250; shipments 333; sales 100; stock 21,297.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12¾; gross receipts 176; shipments 352; stock 3,500.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 34; gross receipts 34; shipments 200; stock 15,481.

Little Rock—Nominal; net receipts 100; gross receipts 100; shipments 6; stock 3,376.

Louisville—Firm, 13.

Total today—Net receipts 8,464; gross receipts 8,880; shipments 8,710; sales 6,220; stock 73,591.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, August 22. — Yesterday's bulge in wheat occasioned in part by predictions of weather inimical to the crop, was more than lost today when the prophecies failed of fulfillment. December wheat closed ⅞@1c. lower. Good weather sent corn down, December finishing ⅝@¼ down. The close in Oats was 1/16@⅜ to ⅝ under yesterday and the decline in provisions ranged from 5c in January to 75c. in September Pork.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 90½@91; No. 3 red, 89½@90½; No. 2 hard, winter, 92@95; No. 3, hard, winter, 91@93; No. 1 hard, spring, old, 1.15@1.16½; No. 1 northern, spring, old, 1.05@1.10; No. 1 northern, spring, 1.00@1.05; No. 3 northern, spring, old, 99@1.08; No. 3 northern, spring, 97@1.02; No. 2 spring, 99@1.03⅝; No. 3 spring, 95@1.00; velvet chaff, 92@1.00; durum, 88@98.

Corn—No. 2, 63¼@63½; No. 2 white, 63½@64½; No. 2, yellow, 63⅝@64½; No. 3, 63½@63⅝; No. 3, white, 63¼; No. 3, yellow, 63⅝@64; No. 4, 62⅝@63; No. 4, white, 63⅜@63¼; No. 4, yellow, 63@63½.

Oats—No. 2, 40; No. 2 white, 41⅜@42½; No. 3 white, 41@41½; No. 4 white, 40@41½; standard, 41½@41⅝.

Sept	90⅜	90⅝	90⅛	90⅜
Dec	95¼	95⅝	94½	94⅝
May	1.01	1.01¼	1.00½	1.00⅝
Crn:				
Sept	64½	64½	63⅝	63⅞
Dec	61⅝	61⅝	61¼	61⅜
May	64⅜	64½	63¾	64
Oats:				
Sept	42⅜	42⅝	42	42¾
Dec	44⅞	45	44½	44⅝
May	47⅝	48	47⅜	47½
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	16.90	16.90	16.20	16.50
Jan	16.50	16.55	16.35	16.37½
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	9.25	9.27	9.17	9.20
Oct	9.30	9.30	9.22	9.22
Jan	8.95	9.02	8.87	8.90
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	9.10	9.10	9.05	9.05
Oct	9.07	9.07	9.02	9.02
Jan	8.45	8.45	8.37	8.40

THE FNANCIAL MARKET.

New York, August 22.—Money on call, steady at 1¾@2¼ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¼; closing bid, none; offered at 1¾. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2¾ per cent.; ninety days, 3@3¼; six months, 3¾@3¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4¼@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83.90 for sixty-day bills, and at 5.86.10 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83; bar silver, 52¾; Mexican dollars, 45.

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Lina C. Kaminski, 421 tons, Christiansen, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 22.

Seaboard Air Line—10 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine; 75 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 32 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—41 casks spirits turpentine; 335 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 36 barrels crude turpentine.

Last Year—17 casks spirits turpentine; 76 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar; 22 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 22.—Flour was steady and unchanged.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye and Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, irregular; No. 2, 94¾, elevator, and 95⅝, f.o.b. afloat. Options closed ¾ net lower. September, 96 11-16; December, 1.00¾.

Corn—Spot, easy; No. 2, 72½, elevator, domestic to arrive and 71 for export; No. 2, f.o.b. afloat. Futures market was without transactions.

Oats—Spot, firm; No. 2, standard white, 45.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow, Wool, Rosin, Molasses and Rice—Steady.

Turpentine—Easy.

Sugar—Raw, strong; refined, firm.

Coffee—Futures closed firm, 8 to 17 points higher. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 13¼; Santos, No. 4, 13⅜@14; mild, dull; Cordova, 14@16.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm. Southern sweets, per barrel, 2.50@3.50.

Cabbages—Steady.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Easy under under the failure of Europe to follow the late advance here, together with scattered liquidation, bear pressure and the decline in hog products. Futures closed 46@11 points net lower. August, 5.95@5.96; September, 5.77@5.78; October, 5.50@5.60; November, 5.46@5.48; December, 5.46@5.48; January, 5.47@5.49. Prime crude, nominal; do. summer yellow, 5.95@6.00; do. winter yellow, 6.00@6.50; do. summer white, 5.80@6.40.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 50¾.

ROSIN—Steady; $5.45 per barrel.

TAR—Firm at $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	44
Rosin	335
Tar	4
Crude Turpentine	36

Receipts same day last year, 17 casks turpentine; 76 barrels rosin; 25 barrels tar; 17 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 19th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.50 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 17 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, 7 to 7½ per lb.; dry, 12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season, Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 19 to 20 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, .90 to $2.50 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

The Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Aug. 11.—Farmers' Spanish—Firm, at $1.25 per bushel. Shelled Spanish, No. 1, 7c. per lb.; No. 2, 5 to 5½c. per lb. Virginias, firm; Bunch, 5½c. per lb.; Fancy Hand Picked, 4½ to 5c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 4c. per lb.; Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3½ to 4c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot in Limited Demand; Prices, One Point Lower.

Liverpool, August 22.—Spot in limited demand; prices, one point lower. American middling fair, 7.44; good middling, 7.10; middling, 6.80; low middling, 6.60; good ordinary, 6.34; ordinary, 6.00.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export, and included 3,300 American. Receipts, 6,000 bales, including 900 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady. August, 6.43½; August and September, 6.32½; September and October, 6.10½; October and November, 6.05; November and December, 6.02; December and January, 6.02; January and February, 6.02½; February and March, 6.04; March and April, 6.05½; April and May, 6.06½; May and June, 6.07½.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 22.—First hands continued to a moderate amount of business in cotton goods for nearby delivery. Some business was reported in print cloths, coarse counts fetched 1-16c. a yard more than yesterday, while a sale of 39-inch 68x72s Southern goods was reported at 5 cents. Worsted dress goods prices were named for spring and 36-inch goods were reduced 2½c. a yard. Trade in men's was quiet. A fair volume of business was done in silks for fall delivery.

Fighting Like Tigers.

In fighting to keep the blood pure the white corpuscles attack disease germs like tigers. But often germs multiply so fast the little fighters are overcome. Then see pimples, boils, eczema, salt-rheum and sores multiply and strength and appetite fail. This condition demands Electric Bitters to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to expel poisons from the blood. "They are the best blood purifier," writes C. T. Budahn, of Tracy, Cal., "I have ever found." They make rich, red blood, strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 50c. at R. R. Bellamy.

SEVERE DECLINE IN STOCKS

Recital of Yesterday's Operations Would Hardly Throw Light On General Financial Situation —Union Pacific Leader

New York, Aug. 22.—Detailed recital of today's operations on the stock market would hardly throw much light on the general financial situation and even less on the recent severe declines in securities. The market opened with a number of substantial recessions in which Union Pacific took its now familiar place as leader.

In its early losses the list simply followed the course of London, where all Americans particularly the Harrimans, were under pressure. London's depression and the resultant break here was generally attributed to developments abroad and advices from Paris and London, indicating that another rupture had occurred in the Franco-Moroccan negotiations. This found its reflection chiefly in France, where preparations for war were said to be in the making. The German side of the situation did not project itself with especial prominence, and local bankers with influential foreign connections were not inclined to take the news very seriously.

Further details concerning the proposed retrenchment on the Harriman railroads were forthcoming at the ending, showing that this important system purposes carrying out its avowed policy with little delay. The labor situation on the Illinois Central, which owes allegiance to the Harriman lines, also was reported to have become acute.

After the market's first slump, in which many stocks sold under yesterday, the list crawled slowly upward on a very moderate volume of business, Union Pacific leading the advance as it had the decline. By midday prices were substantially over the preceding day, but again fell away with trading at a standstill. Weakness in Canadian Pacific, which had its origin in Berlin, and was followed by a loss of almost five points, here, precipitated an incipient selling movement in the later session, which threatened to make further inroads upon the entire list. The earnest support, accorded Union Pacific, however, resulted in a rally, but prices were not fully restored and the market took on its accustomed languor. Baltimore and Ohio was distinctly weak, selling off at par, a loss of two points, notwithstanding a fairly good statement of earnings for July. Reading's consistent steadiness was accompanied by intimations that its earnings for July, soon to be issued, would be quite satisfactory and the firmness of Pennsylvania followed an announcement that no retrenchment is contemplated on that system.

There was more animation in the last hour and the list denoted a considerable degree of underlying strength, with free absorption of Steel and Union Pacific, the former mounting to its best price of the day. Dullness once more ensued and prices shaded.

Net gains were general in the active group at the close.

The day was replete with crop news which ranged from good to indifferent. A well known expert opinioned that the Texas cotton crop would hardly yield more than last year's output, while Texas and Pacific railway officials looked for a record yield. An estimate of the North Dakota wheat crop places the probable harvest at 80,000,000 bushels against 36,000,000 last year. Despatches from Oregon, Montana, Idaho and Washington point to enormous yields in those States.

Bonds were steady; total sales, par value, amounted to $1,216,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day were 580,700 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Ailis-Chalmers, pfd	20
Amalgamated Copper	61
American Agricultural	58
American Beet Sugar	51⅞
American Can	9⅝
American Car and Foundry	50¼
American Cotton Oil	53⅞
American Hide and Leather, pfd	21
American Ice Securities	18½
American Linseed	83½
American Locomotive	36
American Smelting and Refining	71
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	104½
American Steel Foundries	34
American Sugar Refining	114
American Tel and Tel	133⅝
American Tobacco, pfd	99¼
American Woolen	29
Anaconda Mining Co	36½
Atchison	105¼
Atchison, pfd	101
Atlantic Coast Line	122
Baltimore and Ohio	100½
Bethlehem Steel	30½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75⅞
Canadian Pacific	232
Central Leather	24½
Central Leather, pfd	98
Central of New Jersey	275
Chesapeake and Ohio	74
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	19½
Chicago Great Western, pfd	38
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	114⅛
C., C., C. and St. Louis	55
Colorado Fuel and Iron	29¼
Colorado and Southern	49¼
Consolidated Gas	136
Corn Products	12⅜
Delaware and Hudson	163½
Denver and Rio Grande	24⅜
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	53⅝
Distillers' Securities	31½
Erie	20⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	40½
Erie, 2nd pfd	40⅝
General Electric	157
Great Northern, pfd	124⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	47
Illinois Central	139⅞
Interborough-Met	15½
Interborough-Met., pfd	42¼
Inter Harvester	114⅜
Inter-Marine, pfd	14⅝
International Paper	10
International Pump	34½
Iowa Central	18
Kansas City Southern	29½
Kansas City Southern, pfd	69
Laclede Gas	104½
Louisville and Nashville	143
Minneapolis and St. Louis	33
Minn., St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie	132½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	31
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66½
Missouri Pacific	41⅝
National Biscuit	132½
National Lead	50
National Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	28
New York Central	104
New York, Ontario and Western	39⅜
Norfolk and Western	102⅜
North American	68⅜
Northern Pacific	118⅞
Pacific Mail	30½
Pennsylvania	120⅝
People's Gas	103½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	93
Pittsburg Coal	18¼
Pressed Steel Car	31½
Pullman Palace Car	158
Railway Steel Spring	32
Reading	144½
Republic Steel	29
Republic Steel, pfd	91
Rock Island Co	26½
Rock Island Co., pfd	49¼
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	41½
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	67½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	46
Suthern Pacific	112⅜
Southern Railway	28¼
Southern Railway, pfd	69
Tennessee Copper	31⅞
Texas and Pacific	23⅝
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	18
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	40
Union Pacific	170⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	90⅞
United States Realty	68
United States Rubber	37½
United States Steel	72⅜
United States Steel, pfd	113½
Utah Copper	44¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	54½
Wabash	14½
Wabash, pfd	29½
Western Maryland	57
Westinghouse Electric	60
Western Union	75¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	9

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, Aug. 23.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Tuesday, Aug. 23rd:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; at 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 83 degrees; minimum, 65 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01 inch; for the month, 11.65 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 2.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday; Thursday, local showers and cooler; in the west; fair, in east portions; light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—August 23.

Sun rises	5:29 A. M.
Sun sets	6:50 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 11 min.
High water at Southport	7:30 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	10:30 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 22, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	.....	98	78	.....
Asheville	clear	78	58	.0
Atlanta	clear	82	64	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	86	64	.0
Birmingham	clear	86	68	.0
Boston	clear	80	62	.0
Charleston	pt cldy	82	68	.0
Charlotte	clear	86	62	.0
Chicago	cloudy	70	66	.04
Galveston	pt cldy	88	80	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	84	68	.08
Memphis	pt cldy	76	70	.08
Mobile	pt cldy	86	74	.0
Montgomery	clear	86	68	.0
New Orleans	raining	90	74	.20
New York	clear	76	64	.0
Palestine	pt cldy	94	72	.0
Oklahoma	pt cldy	86	76	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	80	66	.0
Raleigh	clear	84	60	.0
Savannah	clear	82	66	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	86	74	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	78	68	.01
Washington	clear	86	54	.0

NAVAL STORES.

New York, August 22.—Rosin, steady; turpentine, easy.

Charleston, Aug. 22.—Turpentine, firm, 51. Rosin, firm. Quote: A, B and C, 5.80; D, 6.65@6.70; E, 6.25@6.55; F, 6.55@6.60; G, 6.60; H, 6.60; I, 6.60; K, 6.60; N, 6.60@6.65; N, 6.65@6.70; W G, 6.85; W W, 7.20@7.40.

Savannah, August 22.—Turpentine, firm, at 51½@52. Sales, 1,149; receipts, 1,464; shipments, 203; stocks, 31,597.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,582; receipts, 4,181; shipments, 1,501; stocks, 107,988. Quote: B, 5.85; D, 6.10; E, 6.40; F, 6.60; G, H, I, K and M, 6.62½; N, 6.65; W G, 6.85; W W, 7.20.

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NORTH CAROLINA, BLADEN COUNTY.

In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Chas. Davis, Henry Davis, Evanda Davis, James E. Davis, Thos. Davis, William Davis and Sarah Davis

vs.

Thad. Grant, Callie McKeithan and her husband, D. D. McKeithan, Artilida Troy and her husband A. A. Troy, William Young, Rose Young, Alice Young, Newton Young, and Forney Young:

Notice of Summons by Publication.

The defendants: William Young, Rose Young, Alice Young, Newton Young and Forney Young, above named, will take notice that an actionwas entitled above has been commenced in the Superior Court for Bladen County, for the purpose of dividing by actual partition among the heirs at law of James Grant, deceased, the lands belonging to the said James Grant at the time of his death; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Bladen County, at the Court House, in said County, on Monday, the 25th day of September, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, and answer or demur to the said complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 21st day of August, 1911.

W. J. DAVIS,
Clerk of the Superior Court.

J. B. Clark,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER — ENTRY OF LAND, NO 8169.

To John Haar, Entry Taker of New Hanover County:

The undersigned claimant, being a citizen of the State of North Carolina, hereby sets forth and shows that the following tract of land lying and being in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, particularly described as follows:

About opposite Station No. 6, of Tidewater Power Company, on Wrightsville Beach, bounded on the north by Back Channel and Greenville Sound, on the east by Back Channel, on the south by Mud Beach, and on the west by Greenville Sound or Money Island Bay, containing about one-fourth of an acre, is vacant and unappropriated land, belonging to the State of North Carolina and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimant hereby makes entry of, lays claim to, and prays for a grant for said land.

This 1st. day of August, 1911.

A. A. HERGENROTHER,
Claimant.

Witness:
CHAS. C. LOUGHLIN.

Entered and filed Aug. 1st, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER. — ENTRY OF LAND, NO. 9125.

To John Haar, Entry Taker for New Hanover County:

The undersigned claimant, being a citizen of the State of North Carolina, hereby sets forth and shows that the following tract of land lying and being in Harnett Township, New Hanover County, and described as follows:

Lying between the Banks Channel, the Atlantic Ocean, Moore's Inlet and Wrightsville Beach Extension, beginning at a stone, the northeast corner of Lot No. 55, in Block F of Wrightsville Beach Extension, as shown by a map or plot duly recorded in Book 50, page 631, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, and runs thence north 56 degrees 30 minutes west to low water mark of the Banks Channel; thence along the Banks Channel (low water mark), about 1,000 feet, to Moore's Inlet (low water mark); thence along Moore's Inlet low water mark to the Atlantic Ocean (low water mark); thence southwestwardly, along the low water mark of the Atlantic Ocean, to a point opposite a stone, the northeast corner of Lot No. 101 in the said Wrightsville Beach Extension; thence along the eastern line of said Wrightsville Beach Extension, north 56 degrees 30 minutes west, to the beginning point; containing 25 acres, more or less, is vacant and unappropriated land, belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimant hereby makes entry of, lays claim to, and prays for a grant for said land.

This 10th day of August, 1911.

D. N. CHADWICK, JR.,
Claimant.

Witness:
E. A. Charnberry.

Entered and filed August 10,1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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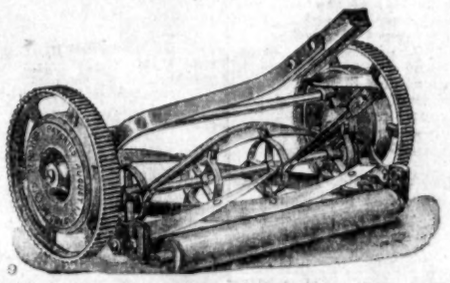

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MR. TAFT VETOES COTTON REVISAL

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the place of Vice President Sherman in temporary absences from the city

As in the case of the wool and free list bills, President Taft, in his veto message, bases objections to the cotton bill largely upon the fact that the tariff board had not as yet had time to submit a report on the schedule. He also declared that the cotton bill was adopted without any investigation or information of a satisfactory character as to its effect upon the cotton industry. The President objected especially to the attempt by Congress to add a revision of the iron and steel and chemicals schedules to the cotton bill as amendments.

"I find," he said, "that there was practically no consideration of either schedule by any committee of either House. There were no facts presented to either House in which I can find material upon which to form any judgment as to the effect of the amendments either upon American industries or upon the revenues of the government."

Briefly reviewing the manner in which the iron and steel and chemical amendments were adedd to the bill, the President said:

"I cannot make myself a party to dealing with the industries of the country in this way. The industries covered by metals and the manufacture of metals are the laregst in the country, and it would seem not only wise but absolutely essential to acquire accurate information as to the effect of changes which may vitally effect these industries, before enacting them into law."

Speaking of the cotton industry the President said the capital invested in 1909 amounted to $821,000,000; the value of the product to $629,000,000; the number of wage-earners to 379,000, making, with dependents, a total of at least 1,200,000 persons affected; with annual wages og $146,000,000. The bill would not have gone into effect until January 1st next, and Mr. Taft said the tariff board would be ready with a report before that time. Investigation by the House Ways and Means Committee, Mr. Taft said was purely for the purpose of preparing a bill on a tariff for revenue basis.

"Pledged to support a policy of moderate protection," he added, "I cannot approve a measure which violates its principle."

The President denounced the bill as "emperical and paphsacard." This he declared, was especially true of the chemical schedule which had been revised in such a way as to increase the tax on certain chemicals instead of reducing them.

"These," said the President, "are some of the typical inconsistencies and instances of haste in preparation and of the error of calculation in the proposed sweeping horizontal reduction of a most important schedule in the tariff."

This bill illustrates, and enforces the views which I have already expressed in vetoing the wool bill and the so-called free list bill, as to the paramount importance of securing, through the investigation and reports of the tariff board, a definite and certain basis of ascertained fact for the consideration of tariff laws. When the reports of the tariff board upon these schedules are received the duties which should be imposed, can be determined upon justly and with intelligent appreciation of the effect that they will have both industry and upon revenue.

The important thing is to get our tariff legislation out of the slough of guesswork and logrolling and ex-parte statements of interested persons and to establish that legislation on the basis of tested and determined facts, to which shall be applied fairly and openly, whatever tariff principle the people of the country propose to adopt.

USING BAKERS' BREAD

Colored Cook's Culinary Efforts Yielding, Says One Who Knows

Kansas City, Aug. 22.—Modern baking machinery has taken the place of the old negro "mammy," the cook in most Southern homes, and that corn bread and biscuits have lost their prestige of the early days, is the declaration made by C. E. Sears, of Dallas, Texas, one of the delegates to the Fourteenth annual convention of the National association of Master Bakers, which convenes here today.

The bakery has superceded the negro in pastry at least, says Mr. Sears. He declares that Southerners now eat bakers' bread and bakers' French bread. He says that the South has learned that corn bread and biscuits are injurious to the digestion and since the high cost of labor has been surmounted by the improvement in machinery, Texas and other Southern States are furnished with the same quality of bakers' products as the East and enjoys the change.

INQUIRE INTO 1907 PANIC.

Oklahoma Senator Believes Troubles Were Deliberately Caused.

Washington, Aug. 22.—An investigation into causes leading to the panic of 1907 and the benefits secured from it by any persons or corporations was asked in a resolution offered yesterday by Senator Owen, of Oklahoma.

Immediate consideration was not asked. The resolution named as an investigating committee Senators Kern, of Indiana; Works, of California; Reed Page, of Vermont, and Clark, of Wyoming.

"I believe the panic of 1907 was brought about by deliberate conspiracy for enrichment of those who engineered it," said Senator Owen. He declared he would call up his resolution at some future time and urge the appointment of the proposed commission of investigation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Madame Eldon—Scientific Palmist.
Jno. D. Taylor, C. S. C.—Divorce Proceedings.
W. J. Davis, C. S. C. — Summons by Publication.

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DEMOCRATS MADE BIG RECORD

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which was the day of the Democratic caucus on January 19th, but unfortunately for them in that caucus everything was done unanimously. They then said surely we would go to pieces as soon as we reached the tariff question, but again they were doomed to disappointment and we did not go to pieces at all.

"We are more thoroughly united in the House at the end of the session, if possible, than at the beginning.

"We have set a good example to Democrats everywhere. Sneered at for years as a party of mere negation and as being utterly lacking inability for constructive statesmanship, we passed through the House more constructive legislation, and better, than has passed through any House in the same length of time in twenty years. We have set the pace in that regard for future Houses.

"We redeemed every promise made in order to carry the elections in 1910. We have economized, we passed the reciprocity, the wool tariff bill, the free list bill, the cotton bill with the Senate amendments which included the iron and steel schedule and the chemical schedule; we submitted for ratification a constitutional amendment providing for popular election of Senators of the United States; we passed a bill for the publication of campaign expenses before the election; we liberalized the rules, making the committee elective by the House; we passed a resolution to admit New Mexico and Arizona, and we passed a large number of other bills of more or less importance. It is a record which we may well be proud and on which we will sweep the country in 1912.

To show how completely the 'Standpat' Republicans are demoralized it is only necessary to quote the newspaper statement that there was great rejoicing and congratulation at the White House because we failed by a scratch to get the two-thirds majority to override the President's veto, although we have ony 63 majority in the House. To this complexion has it come at last, that the President, who rode into power by a huge majority is glad to escape the humiliation of having his vetoes overridden in a House containing a majority of only 63.

"Notwithstanding the fact that four cabinet members were on the floor of the House lobbing in favor of the veto with all their power, allurements and patronage of the American to help them influence votes, 22 insurgent Republicans had the courage and manhood to override the President's vetoes.

"What's right, and whatever the future may have in store, the honor of having perfect unanimity among the Democrats and of achieving an extraordinary amount of constructive statesmanship at this extraordinary session can never be taken away from us. Every Democrat in the House and every insurgent Republican who stood up to the rack is entitled to his full share of credit.

"We honestly and persistently endeavored to relieve the people of some of their burden of taxation, but the President would not have it. To use a shortening phrase, 'He blocked the game' on these issues, and now we appeal to the country, feeling absolutely certain that as we have stood manfully for the best interest of the people the people will stand by us."

The four cabinet officers to whom the Speaker referred to as having been on the floor of the House when the tariff revision vetoes were pending in that body were Attorney General Wickersham, Postmaster Hitchcock, Secretary of War Stimson, and Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel.

MUCH SENSATIONAL DIGNITY.

North Carolinian Shares Badly As Result of It.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Committee dignity asserted itself in Senate today so positively that an executive session was held for the express purpose of "un-confirming" the nomination of John Biddle, of North Carolina, as collector of customs for the Pamlico district.

Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, informed the Senate today that yesterday it had confirmed Biddle's nomination without report from either himself, as acting chairman of the Commerce Committee, to which the nomination had been referred, or from Senator Burton, member of that committee who had the matter particularly in charge.

"I move an executive session to correct that error," said Senator Nelson, and the Senate accepted its reprimand bumbly and without dissent. Biddle's confirmation at the executive session was set aside and final action on its postponement until next session.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY JUBILEES.

Series of Meeting in South Announced From Nashville, Tenn.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 22.—The Southern extension committee charged with supervising a series of interdenominational women's missionary jubilees have given out the following jubilee dates for the South from the headquarters here:

Norfolk, October 11-12; Greensboro, N. C., October 13-14; Charleston, October 17-18; Jacksonville, October 20-21; Atlanta, October 24-25 Birmingham, October 27-28; Mobile, October 31, November 1; New Orleans, November 3-4; Memphis, November 7-8; Little Rock, November 10-11; Oklahoma City November 13-14; Houston, November 16-17; San Antonio, November 20-21; Dallas, November 23-24.

The proposed jubilees are the outgrowth of the semi-centennial celebration of women's missionary board work. It is expected that $75,000 will be raised by the Southern Jubilees for missions.

POPE IS CONVALESCENT.

Doctors Have Ceased Their Visits With Kindly Admonition.

Rome, Aug. 22.—It may now be said that Pope Pius is entirely convalescent. Drs. Marchiafava and Petacci have ceased their visits, but have recommended that he take the greatest care of his health and avoid fatiguing himself.

The Pope is extremely cheerful. Today he walked in the vatican garden for a short time and seemed benefitted.

GAND ARMY REUNION.

More Than 25,000 Union Soldiers at Rochester, N. Y.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 22.—With more than 25,000 veterans registered before the close of the second day, the 45th annual National encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic is under full headway.

Governor Dix, who addressed the veterans tonight received a warm welcome. Tomorrow will be the day of the encampment with the coming of President Taft and the parade that will follow. There is intense interest in the parade, both among citizens and soldiers.

EXTRA SESSION OF 121 DAYS.

Run at Cost of $301,052—Statement of Party Leaders.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Chairman Fitzgerald, of the House Appropriation Committee, in reviewing the work of the extra session today, stated that the appropriations of Congress during the extra session aggregated $301,052. He declared that no session of Congress has ever run for so long a period and appropriated so little.

Mr. Fitzgerald declared that more than $200,000 had been saved during this session by abolishing sinecures and cutting off from the gratuities heretofore granted Congressional employes and that further retrenchment was planned at the next session.

Former Speaker Cannon accused the Democrats of being niggardly, saying that in order to effect a petty saving the Democrats had made it impossible to keep clean the quarters occupied by Representatives. He said that if the Democratic majority had spent proper sums in employing experts in framing their tariff bills, they might not have subjected themselves to the "just criticism of the President."

Representative Palmer, of Pennsylvania, Democrat, retorted that one fourth of the House expenses had been eliminated by cutting off petty graft and that it was the intention of the Democrats to carry out a simiith reform in every branch of the government.

Mr. Fitzgerald said of the total of $301,052, approximately $141,000 was necessary to meet the expenses incident to the session of Congress, of the remainder, $150,000 was for rebuilding the army supply depot at Fort Mason, Ca., and the remainder was applied to minor matters.

"No new officers nor new employments have been created under Democratic auspices," said Mr. Fitzgerald. "The House has initiated a policy of retrenchment and reform, which, if continued, will have far-reaching fiscal results."

Mr. Fitzgerald contended that there was room for reform in administrative methods.

DANGEROUS SOFT DRINKS

Pure Food Commissioners Take Action at Duluth, Minn.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 22.—Charges that habit-forming drugs are contained in a large proportion of the beverages sold at soda fountains and "soft drink" establishments and are making drug victims throughout the country, featured today's session of the convention of the National and State pure food experts. Various members of the association took part in the attack. One delegate told of a college youth who, he said, could not get along without several glasses of a certain beverage morning, noon and night. Some of the concoctions, it was asserted, contained cocaine, caffeine and other dangerous drug.

Co-operation between Federal and State goverments and the members for the purpose of stamping out violations of the pure food laws was urged. Complete inter-change of information of violations was promised in resolutions adopted.

Selling old nuts, mixed with new, was named as a dangerous practice, the alleged system of coloring pecans with acid being declared a feature of the trade that menaced health.

HETTY GREEN'S PROPERTY.

Failed to Get Reduction of Valuation at Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Hetty Green, America's wealthiest woman, failed to get a reduction on the assessed valuation of her Chicago property, despite vigorous protests of her lawyers before the Board of Review today. Mrs. Green's lawyers declared that her property belonging to her and assessed at $185,000 was not worth more than $140,000. The board of review, however, refused to reduce the assessment.

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CAMP PERRY SHOOT.

Ohio Team Wins Herrick Trophy—President's Match Interesting.

Camp Perry, Ohio, Aug. 22.—The matches of the National Rifle Association came to a close tonight after a day of record-breaking scores in the Herrick trophy match and a closely contested race in the President's match. The Ohio team won the Herrick trophy with the score of 1,782, which breaks the world's record for long-range rifle shooting with any rifle and ammunition on the 800, 900 and 1,000 yard ranges. The score exceeds the record score of the all-American team in the Palma match in 1907 by 20 points and is greater than the record of the celebrated English El Cho Shield match, which is shot under similar conditions.

The first team of the navy finished second with 1,630, two teams of the marine corps, third and fourth, and the army infantry team fifth. The other winners were Ohio's second team, the United States cavalry and second team of the navy.

The match was finished today at 1,000 yards under changing weather conditions and in the face of an approaching storm which prevented some of the team's not accustomed to the range from scoring higher. The aggregate revolver match was won by Dr. J. H. Snook, of Columbus, Ohio, with an average for the shoot of 3,680. Other winners were C. E. Orr, 3,625 and Leroy Lyons, Colorado Cavalry, 3,590.

The President's match was won by Corporal C. A. Lloyd, of the United States Marines, with a score of 281. The match was won last year by Sergeant W. A. Fragner, of the Marine Corps, with a score of 283.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

Cautious Note Issued in Paris as to Pending Negotiations.

Paris, Aug. 22.—A cautious and firm semi-official note was issued by the government this afternoon relative to the negotiations with Germany, saying:

Ambassador Cambon will return to Berlin toward the end of August probably about the 28th. Meantime he will have in Paris several conferences with the premier, minister of foreign affairs and minister of the colonies, concerning the subjects of his conversations with Herr Von Kiderlen Waechter, the German minister of foreign affairs.

Without endeavoring to prejudge the precise results it is believed that the difficulties will find a solution. It is, however, true that such solution will depend upon two conditions: First, that the rights of France in Morocco be recognized without diminution on the part of Germany and regulated definitely in a manner to avoid all future complications; and second, that Germany reduces her territorial desires in French Congo which appear to be manifestly excessive."

The Temps, in commenting upon the Moroccan dispute says: "France which sometimes has fallen in with the illusion of universal peace, has ceased to regard as impossible a European conflict. We are convinced that nobody in Europe wishes such a conflict which would exceed in extent the horror of those of the past generations, but we believe also that certain diplomatic methods founded on mistaken phycology may render inevitable a war which no one wants."

SUCCEED GENERAL GORDON.

Election Called in Tennessee for Tenth Congressional District.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 22.—At a meeting of the Democratic Legislative Committee for the Tenth Tennessee Congressional district here today, it was decided that the Democratic nominee to succeed the late George W. Gordon in the House of Representatives, will be chosen at a primary to be held under the State law. The election will take place September 25th. Gen. Gordon died here August 9th.

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LOST—Gold brooch with amethyst stone, probably between Grand Theatre and Ninth and Market streets. Finder please return to "S," this office. au24-1t

FOR SALE—Stock of general hardware, guns, stoves, etc. Bids will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, Monday, August 28th, 1911, by Frank L. Huggins, Assignee. Copy of inventory can be seen at office of W. P. M. Turner, attorney of assignee, No. 207½ Princess street. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. Frank L. Huggins, assignee of Sloan & Sweeney. au22-6t

HORSES—I have for sale at Orrell's stables, Wilmington, N. C., one pair of dapple gray horses, five or six years old, weighing about 3,200 lbs. Being overstocked, will take $500. Also one pair of fine carriage horses, five years old, weighing 2,500 lbs. J. J. Bardin, Burgaw, N. C. au22-3t*

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